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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 72 deg.; minimum, 56 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., southeast, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 10 miles. At midnight the temperature was 62 deg.; foggy.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 58 deg.; foggy.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; fresh west wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; brisk northwest wind.

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PACIFIC SLOPE. Three carloads of cherries the first of the season roll East....Sixty thousand cars will be required for this year's orange and lemon crop....Two prominent Japs arrive. Thousands watch for bodies of Truckee River victims....Santa Fé enters Oakland amid much rejoicing....Battle with mammoth shark off Santa Cruz. Two section men seriously injured on the Santa Fé....Hood and his son found guilty of conspiring in pensions....Reform ticket wins in San José.

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FOREIGN, BY CABLE. Another Japanese landing near Kinchay....Port Arthur besieged both by land and sea. Japanese cruiser sent to bottom....Chinese Governor leads in attack on coal mines....Great battle is now imminent. Pessimism in Austria....Japs destroy much railroad....Renewed assurances of Chinese neutrality....Russians falling back....New British Ambassador to St. Petersburg received with much honor.

POLITICAL.

HEARSE FOR HEARST AND HIS BOOMLET.

Deathblow Given to the Yellow Kid by Santa Cruz Convention.

Gould Defeats Jeter for Chairman, Thereby Indicating That an Uninstructed Delegation Will be Sent to Chicago—Willie's Hopes Go A-Glimmering in Illinois and Other States—Republican League Clubs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA CRUZ, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Hearst boom for the Democratic Presidential nomination received a set-back today from which it will not soon recover. The anti-Hearst forces captured the organization of the Democratic State convention after a bitter contest in which Hearst's manager on the Pacific Coast, Col. M. F. Tarpey, staked all and lost.

The temper of the convention was plainly shown to be anti-Hearst, although the yellow editor mustered a large and enthusiastic following and came near getting the upper hand in the preliminary skirmishes.

The effect of the action of the convention today will be far-reaching, as without an instructed delegation from California, practically Hearst's home State, he will stand very little show of capturing any of the other States that have not yet elected delegates to Chicago, and those already instructed for him or favorable to his candidacy will be quick to climb into the band wagon of some more promising candidate when the voting begins in the national convention.

SANTA CRUZ May 16.—The preliminary skirmish in the Democratic State convention today was won by the forces opposing the sending of a delegation to the national convention instructed to support the candidacy of Congressman W. R. Hearst for the Presidency. Those favoring a delegation instructed for Hearst made a hard fight, losing the battle for the control of the convention by the close vote of 367 to 345.

The test came on the vote for temporary chairman. For this position the Hearst people named former Lieut.-Gov. W. T. Jeter of Santa Cruz, while Frank H. Gould of San Francisco, former Speaker of the Assembly, led the anti-Hearst forces. After a tense struggle the vote stood: Gould, 367; Jeter, 345.

Both men are very popular in the party, and the vote was looked forward to as an indication of the sentiment of the convention on the question of an instructed delegation.

Gould's election was brought about by the vote of the San Francisco delegation, which was largely against Jeter. It was a victory for what is commonly known as the San Francisco "machine."

Another significant vote in the convention was the one on the appointment of the Committee on Platform and Resolutions. A motion was introduced that the chairman select all the members of this committee, but the Hearst followers tried to secure an amendment taking from the chair the appointment of a majority of the committee, and leaving it to the Congressional districts. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 224 to 190.

The next struggle in the convention will come on the adoption of a resolution instructing the delegation to St. Louis to support Hearst. The anti-Hearst people will make a strong fight against instruction. They are willing to pass laudatory resolutions and will not even make a hard fight to select delegates known to be opposed to the candidacy of Hearst, but they will oppose the passage of the unit rule.

The Hearst people are not willing to acept today's vote as a fair test. They claim that personality entered to a great extent in the contest and that many who voted for Gould are favorable to instructing the delegation for Hearst. The anti-Hearst people also add to their encouragement with a similar argument, saying that many of Jeter's supporters are opposed to instructed delegation.

The leaders of the Hearst fight announce that they will make no compromise, but must have an instructed delegation. The closeness of the vote on organization indicates that the final result will be very close and precludes any forecast.

While Chairman Gould is regarded as friendly to Hearst, he is opposed to instructing the delegation and to the adoption of the unit rule.

CONVENTION ORGANIZED.
GOULD ELECTED CHAIRMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA CRUZ, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The convention was scheduled to meet at 11 o'clock. The hall was profusely decorated with thousands of small flags and about the platform "Old Glory" shone resplendent in several superb copies of its gorgeous hues. The platform was further decked with great bouquets of gorgeous wild azaleas from the Santa Cruz woods. One lone portrait hung above the chairman's seat. It was Thomas Jefferson's. This seemed very significant. Cleveland was not there. Bryan was not there. It looked like a deliberate attempt to present a great hiatus in Democratic history between Jefferson and Hearst. What a jump! What a descent from brains, decency, statesmanship, patriotism! The California State Convention was blotting out the whole record of its party. The record of the rebellion was blotted out. The record of Cleveland, his tariff message, the Wilson bill and bond issues of the Cleveland régime, were all blotted out as if the besom of destruction were swept over it all. Bryanism, with its free trade, free silver, free soup and defeats, was blotted out with the same besom.

At 11 o'clock about 100 delegates were scattered about the hall; at 11:15, 200; at 11:30 most of the delegates were in their seats, excepting where the San Francisco banner waved and there almost every seat was vacant.

OPENING DELAYED.

At 11:35, Barney Murphy rapped for order and when the delegates had taken their seats, Mr. Murphy stated that the Bay City delegates would not be present until some time after noon. He suggested an adjournment to 2 o'clock. The country delegates howled for 1 o'clock from many parts of the floor. I. B. Dockweiler moved to adjourn to 2, and this was carried with many cries of "No, no, no." The country delegates do not relish the idea of going on paying $2 or $3 a day expenses.

The antis at the hour of meeting stated absolutely that they would organize the convention. The Hearst faction was more reticent than usual.

During recess, reports were flying that Tarpey would not present Jeter's name at all, but let the chairmanship go to Gould. This was at once seized upon as a confession of defeat, and to save appearances this programme was abandoned. The Santa Cruz Surf was out at noon with pages of arraignment of Hearst. Whatever overtures were made to McNab for harmony, nothing would be accepted but fight. The Hearst gang had said "Instructions or nothing." The answer was emphatic, "Nothing."

TARPEY NAMES JETER.

At 2:30 o'clock, half an hour late, cries of "Time" came from all parts of the hall and Barney Murphy, chairman of the State Central Committee, rapped for order. A few moments later the order of business was announced and Tarpey took the platform to nominate Jeter. The speech was like such speeches always are. Whenever he named Hearst there was some applause, but not of the kind that presages victory. The rooters from Los Angeles made more than half the noise.

Tarpey threw down the gauntlet squarely when he quoted from a paper an interview with Jeter, in which the statement appeared that it was "instructions for Hearst or nothing." Tarpey went on to say that the securing of the chair was most important, in fact, that the whole fight hinged on this, and if they lost this, they lost all.

Shannahan of Shasta seconded the nomination and when he named Stephen M. White, there went up a storm of applause which shook the hall and made any further applause of Hearst seem a whisper. The name of Lane was cheered louder than Hearst's.

POPULIST WINDJAMMER.

An Alameda delegate, James, followed, and poured the fat in the fire. He was a Populist until Bryan appeared on the Democratic horizon, when he found a congenial home under the banner of the Great Defeated. He proceeded to controvert Tarpey's statements. But he said the chairmanship is the main battle and to lose that is to lose all. He worked the Native Son business far beyond the limit and said Hearst stands for all there was in Bryanism of 1896 and 1900. There began to come from all over the hall shouts of "Get down," "Come off," "Stop." He promised he would, but kept right on. He referred to Wall street and then all the Hearst rooters let loose all the wind they could. It was the first genuine hubbub heard in the hall.

A delegate, Denman, of San Francisco, wanted to know "what principle Hearst ever stood for," and then there came a hurricane of cheers, cries, hisses, cat-calls and all the noises ever heard in a real Democratic love feast.

The Gould people picked two or three rather colorless delegates with little ability to speak to nominate Gould. This was a shrewd trick not to make him appear to be the candidate of the antis.

"EL HUTCH" SPOUTS.

In spite of the lack of eloquence the applause of Gould's name was an omen of evil import to the backers of the "Yellow Kid."

E. L. Hutchison ("El Hutch" of Los Angeles,) had a great inspiration and took the platform to make one of his characteristic speeches. At one point the delegates thought he was for Gould. Then they changed their minds and thought he was for Jeter. He kept everyone guessing where he stood, but finally landed on both feet in the Hearst pastures as might have been expected. Hutch's references to labor unions brought out all the strength of the Hearst lungs. A labor union paper of small bore was in the hall with a great picture of Hearst on the front. It would be interesting to know how much the half-tone cost to make. Hutchison went for the "knockers" and "knocked" so unmercifully, someone sang out "Who is knockong now?"

Judge Brinker of Modoc made a capital speech for Gould and pleaded to select "men big enough and honest enough to send to St. Louis to be trusted to do what would be best for the party." He thought it all wrong to brand and bind them in any person's behalf.

NOISY ROLL CALL.

Then came the roll call. The first attempt was by counties but so many delegates took the floor at once to "seek information" one might have thought they were all from Missouri, so badly did they "want to be shown." The chair was kept busy pounding with his gavel and his lungs were sore shouting "Order! Order, gentlemen!"

John Ince had a front seat in the ranks and being rather short he climbed on the seat and began to crouch down and then shoot himself up to his full height, swinging his arms and shouting. He said he "would have harmony if he had to fight for it," and that he "would lick the whole delegation" if the delegates did not go the way he wanted. The chair at last told him to sit down or he would be put out. Ince sat.

Then the roll call was gone on with, amid no end of protests, explanations, appeals for more "information." Some delegations claimed they were sent out instructed to vote in a lump. The rule of the chair was against it, but time and again the Hearst fellows wanted to do as they had been sent to do. At divers times the chair called out amid the din, "I cannot hear a word you say."

YELLOW PERIL SHELVED.

At last the stunt was finished, and as San Francisco cast 159 votes for Gould and as Los Angeles county gave Gould seventeen, where only five had been conceded, it was evident that the "yellow peril" had been quarantined, and that the country was saved. The Hearst fellows began to clamor for a new roll call. Hutchison butted in many times. The chair cried out again and again: "Take your seat!" After bedlam had subsided the tellers announced that 712 votes had been cast, 367 for Gould and 345 for Jeter, showing a majority of 22. "El Hutch" shouted, "Which has won? The Democrats or Republicans?" and was told that the Populists had lost.

GOULD SHOWS TACT.

Gould made an excellent address on taking the chair. Then came motions to appoint committees. This was left to the chair, as is usual. But Tarpey, who would have made no such motion had Jeter won, wanted to amend so as have the Congressional delegations choose the members of these committees. This amendment was lost. The motion prevailing, Gould, with great tact, asked the delegations to send him a list of names to choose from.

The Los Angeles delegates selected Hutchison and Loucks of Pomona and Resolutions and Platform; Rickart and Young on Order of Business, and Adcock and Schwamm on Credentials.

TARPEY'S BLUNDER.

After adjournment to 8 o'clock, Tarpey is said to have manifested very much temper. He is said to have remarked: "I want to see none but my friends at my room." He is very much criticised for saying that to lose the chairmanship was to lose all. It was a great blunder, as at once many of the Hearst crowd began to talk of the wisdom of sending out a delegation unpledged to any man. In that crowd the number of chaps who will make a rush for the band wagon is very large. At this hour it looks as if the effort to bind the national delegates might be abandoned.

There comes in here a story that Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the State University, is home from the East, and says Hearst has no hope in Illinois. Under the circumstances this was a hard blow to the rooters here. R. J. Adcock said: "If Hearst loses California his whole boom will collapse."

HARMONY AND SACK.

Just before the evening session was called there were all sorts of rumors of "harmony" flying around. The San Francisco delegates to Democratic conventions have been a by-word for their corruptness for years. If any Hearst resolutions pass this convention it will be because the word "harmony" is spelled very much like "sack." Already some of the Yolo delegates charge that four of their number have been bought.

CHAIRMANSHIP BATTLE.
KNOCKOUT FOR HEARSTITES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA CRUZ, May 16.—When Chairman Murphy announced that nominations for temporary chairman were in order, M. F. Tarpey of Alameda took the platform and in a

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THE GREAT WAR.

VIGOROUS SIEGE.

Port Arthur Beset Day and Night.

Russians May Not be Able to Hold Out Against Japs Much Longer.

Steady Bombardment Kept up at Dalny as Well as at Port Arthur.

Chinese at Mukden Compelled to Disarm—A Japanese Cruiser Sunk.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SHANGHAI, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Natives from Port Arthur state that the Japanese are vigorously besieging that place day and night by land and sea. These natives are of the opinion that it will be difficult for the Russians to retain possession of Port Arthur much longer.

The Japanese have destroyed seventy miles of railway in the neighborhood of Pulantien.

According to the latest news received here from other sources, the Japanese are still bombarding Port Arthur and Dalny. Russian troops are leaving Dalny, and the troops in Port Arthur are reported to be dissatisfied and willing to surrender.

Sixty Japanese transports have been sighted in a deep bay near Dalny, and heavy firing has been heard in Kinchow Bay.

Russian officers at Mukden have compelled the Chinese there to disarm, although the Tartar general protested against such action.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—The following dispatch from Maj.-Gen. Pflug, dated May 15, has been received at the War Ministry:

"According to information received to May 13, the enemy's advance from Feng Wang Cheng toward Liao Yang is characterized by indecision. It is to be supposed that the objective of the principal Japanese forces is a point beyond Hancheng or Haitcheng (Kai Chau.)

"Another important group of these forces is concentrating in the district northwest of Takushan.

"Several swirmishes have occurred with Chinese bandits, in which three Cossacks were killed and four are reported missing, in the maritime provinces all is quiet."

SAKAROFF'S REPORT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—The General Staff has received the following dispatch from Lieut.-Gen. Sakharoff, dated May 15:

"On May 14, I was informed that Chinese bandits had appeared in villages sixteen kilometers west of Liao Yang, and I sent out detachments of riflemen, mounted and on foot, and a company of infantry. No bandits were found in the villages. As the force was returning twelve kilometers west of Liao Yang, a considerable number of bandits were discovered at a point where they had been concealed by the villagers. The riflemen attacked the bandits who occupied the outskirts of the village from which they were dislodged. They left twenty dead and a number of rifles and many cartridges. Our loss was two soldiers killed and three wounded."

CZAR'S MOVEMENTS.
AT ANCIENT CAPITAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MOSCOW, May 16.—In the ancient capital of the empire, Emperor Nicholas today received an enthusiastic welcome. His stay was brief, lasting only thirty-five minutes, because of his wish to hasten to Kharkoff to begin bidding farewell to the troops under orders for the Far East, but it was sufficient to enable all classes of the public to show their loyalty to the throne in this trying time of war.

His Majesty's trip to Moscow was devoid of incident and was uninteresting perhaps to himself and to the members of his staff, but to a stranger in the empire, it was filled with picturesque color. At every hundred yards along the line there was stationed a soldier in the regulation uniform who brought his gun to the salute as soon as the locomotive of the imperial train reached him. Thus the royal party swept along for hundreds of miles, past saluting sentries.

The first intimation the impe

party had that the Moscow stage of the journey was nearing an end was at Klin, where the railroad enters Moscow. Gov. Christ of Moscow and the local authorities, were waiting on the platform and as soon as the train stopped the Governor proceeded to the car occupied by the Emperor and welcomed him to the province. The train then continued on to Moscow where preparations had been in progress for several days for the imperial visit.

Among those assembled at the station at Moscow were Grand Duke Sergius, Governor-General of Moscow, accompanied by Grand Duchess Elizabeth, the son of the Grand Duke Paul, Grand Duke Dimitri, a young boy and his sister, Grand Duke Duchess Marie.

The vast Kalancheffe Square, just outside the station was packed by thousands of standing persons, who had hopes of getting a glimpse of their sovereigns. There were no formalities. The Emperor greeted those assembled to meet him and retired to his seat in the train and resumed his journey.

After bidding farewell to the troops at Kharkoff, which is the headquarters of the Tenth Army Corps and of the Tenth Cavalry Division, His Majesty will visit Poltava where the Ninth Infantry Division is assembled; Orel, the station of the Second Cavalry Brigade; Kaligua, where the Third Infantry Division is stationed, and Rizan, the station of the Thirty-fifth Infantry Division.

The Seventh Army Corps will be inspected at Moscow on His Majesty's return.

He will arrive at Gatschina, near St. Petersburg, May 22.

RECEIVED WITH MUCH HONOR.

NEW BRITISH AMBASSADOR IN ST. PETERSBURG.

Sir Charles Hardinge Expected to Bring About Closer Relations Between Russia and England—New Diplomat Shown Marked Courtesies by the Czar's Government.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—Sir Charles Hardinge, the New British Ambassador to Russia, arrived at St. Petersburg to day. Because of the part the Ambassador is expected to play in carrying out King Edward's desire for closer relation between Great Britain and Russia, more than usual interest in his arrival was displayed in official and unofficial circles.

The government was extremely punctilious in observing the most minute details of the ceremonies imposed by international etiquette on the arrival of a new Ambassador. The imperial waiting-room at the Warsaw station was thrown open for his use and an imperial carriage with a guard of honor of Cossacks in red tunics conveyed the Ambassador from the station to the embassy.

As soon as the Emperor returns to St. Petersburg Sir Charles will present his credentials and at the same time deliver a speech which it is expected will reveal, guardedly, of course, the object of his mission. The authorities here attach considerable importance to the prospective declaration, owing to the Ambassador's relations with King Edward. It will be regarded as being as much an expression of the views of the King as of the British government. On his part, Emperor Nicholas will make a response which will be no less cordial than the utterance of the British Ambassador.

In official and diplomatic circles it is generally known that the establishment of better relations between Russia and Great Britain is the object of Sir Charles Hardinge's mission. The specific purposes, however, are still veiled, despite the discreet inquiries made by foreign diplomats of their British colleagues here.

"You know as well as we do," said a well-informed diplomat to the correspondent of the Associated Press this afternoon, "the intense personal desire of King Edward to reach an agreement wi... Russia. The King wishes to bring about a change in Anglo-Russian relations such as realized by the agreement between Great Britain and France. In spite of the belief elsewhere, this is a no more difficult task than was accomplished in Paris and London. We believe Sir Charles Hardinge's mission is to reach an understanding with Russia, whereby will be defined their respective spheres of influence in Asia, just as the Anglo-French convention defined their distinct spheres in Africa. There is no question of Great Britain formally offering intervention to arrange for peace between Japan and Russia. Russia has made it absolutely clear that she will have no interference. There are plenty of subjects for negotiating. One of the most important is the reduction of armaments on the Indian frontier, which now constitutes an enormous and useless expenditure for both countries."

The same diplomat asserted that Russia's resentment against Great Britain for not allowing her to take Constantinople is no longer justified, as the British government has not the same reason as formerly to oppose the advance of Russia through the Dardanelles. If the British have a motive for seeking a Russian agreement, it is attributed to British suspicion of Germany, on account of the latter's creation of a navy.

PESSIMISM IN AUSTRIA.
FEARED WAR WILL RUIN TRADE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BUDA PEST (Hungary) May 16.—At today's sitting of the Budget Committee of the Austrian delegation, Former Minister Goluchowski made a report in which he lengthily reviewed the international situation. The most interesting portion was a reference to the gloomy situation in the Far East.

"There," said Count Goluchowski, "far-reaching, antagonistic interests have brought about a struggle which, owing to the impossibility of gauging its duration and on account of the general economic depression it may entail, threatens to make itself felt even by those not directly concerned. Besides the general state of insecurity attendant on such a long conflict, there has to be considered the interruption of the free intercourse of trade and the unusually wide interpretation given by belligerents nowadays to contraband of war.

"This wide interpretation exercises such a far-reaching influence on international trade that it appears justifiable to inquire whether it would not be advisable through a mutual agreement of the powers to check that much-felt evil in the future by the introduction of certain restrictive regulations. That work must, however, be reserved for a more suitable moment.

"Austria-Hungary's position in regard to the war is one of strict neutrality, and, as all the other powers have taken the same attitude, it may, so far as human foresight can reach, be anticipated that the struggle will be localized and result in no further dangerous complications."

Count Goluchowski expressed satisfaction at the "cordial relations" existing between Austria and Italy and especially in regard to the Balkans, which constituted "a guarantee of peace which should not be underestimated."

The Anglo-French convention Count Goluchowski considered another "link in the chain of arrangements intended to weld more firmly the peaceful union of the European powers."

Count Goluchowski considered that satisfactory progress was making in the Macedonian reform programme and said both Austria-Hungary and Russia deemed it an honor to do the fullest justice to the mission entrusted to them by the great powers, and they hoped Turkey would not further impede the task. Unless Turkey loyally assisted in the reforms, she should have herself to blame for the serious dangers to which she inevitably would be exposed.

JAPANESE CRUISER SENT TO BOTTOM.

Miyako Destroyed While Removing Russian Mines From Kerr Bay. Two Sailors Killed and Twenty-five Men Wounded.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Japanese legation htas received the following cablegram from Tokio:

"Admiral Kataoka reports that on May 14 our torpedo boat flotilla continued sea-sweeping operations under cover of the fleet. The enemy constructed temporary batteries on the promontory at Kerr Bay, Talienwan, mounting six field guns, besides a hastily constructed fort, and with one company of soldiers stubbornly resisted our attack. Our torpedo flotilla, defying the enemy's fire, carried out the operations and destroyed five mines laid by the enemy. Unfortunately, one of the mines exploded and sunk our cruiser Miyako. In this accident six men were killed, besides the two who were wounded during the fight."

DETAILS OF DISASTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, May 16.—The Japanese dispatch boat Miyako was destroyed in Kerr Bay by striking a submerged mine. Eight casualties are reported.

The Miyako was lost while assisting in the operations of clearing the Russian mines from Kerr Bay, northeast of Talienwan Bay, on which Port Dalny is situated. Admiral Kataoka, commander of the third squadron, returned there Sunday with a detachment of his squadron, protecting two flotillas of torpedo boats which had been detailed to complete sweeping the harbor by the removal of mines. Five mines were discovered and exploded and the work was being suspended for the day when the Miyako struck an undiscovered mine, which exploded with tremendous force under her stern on the port side, and inflicted immense damage to the hull. The Miyako sank in twenty-two minutes. Two sailors were killed and twenty-five men wounded. The rest of the crew were rescued.

News of the loss of the Miyako was sorrowfully received in Tokio, the dangerous character of the mines which the Miyako was engaged is generally appreciated, but it was thought that the loss of the torpedo boat No. 48, under similar circumstances, Thursday last, would serve as a warning to those engaged in the work to exercise the greatest care.

Admiral Kataoka reports that the Russians withdrew from Robinson Point, northeast of Kerr Bay, which adjoins Talienwan Bay, May 12, but they erected a temporary fort on a height northeast of Taku Mountain, where they mounted six guns and constructed protecting trenches. The vessels of Admiral Kataoka's squadron shelled the Russians throughout Sunday, but the latter stubbornly retained their position.

The Japanese flotillas while sweeping the bay were exposed to the Russian fire all day, but continued their work uninjured.

When the Japanese torpedo boat No. 48 was destroyed May 12, in Kerr Bay, while removing Russian mines, seven men were killed and seven were wounded. The No. 48 was the first warship lost by Japan during the war with Russia.

The Miyako was one of the warships that took part in the operations at Kerr Bay Talienwan Bay and Blackney (or Deep Bay) the day the No. 48 was destroyed. The Miyako was a steel cruiser of 1800 tons displacement and 6130 indicated horse power, constructed in 1901, and having an estimated speed of twenty knots. She was 314½ feet long, 36 feet beam and drew 13¼ feet of water. Her armament consisted of two 4.7 inch quick-firing guns and ten 1.8 inch guns and four torpedo tubes.

TORPEDOED CRUISER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—The interruption of communication with Port Arthur prevents the admiralty investigating the announcement from Liao Yang of the daring torpedoing of a Japanese armored cruiser off Port Dalny. As soon as communication is reestablished the admiralty expects the commander of the fortress to send full details.

THE VERY LATEST.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 17, 2:20 a.m.—Owing to the interruption of communication with Port Arthur, the Admiralty has no information of the blowing-up of the Japanese cruiser Miyako on May 15, or the torpedoing and crippling of an armored Japanese cruiser in Talienwan Bay, May 10, by a launch in command of a young Russian naval officer.

The Admiralty officers read with interest the Associated Press account of the former and pointed out that by no chance could the two happenings be identical, since the Miyako was struck in daylight and the other event is reported as happening at night.

The Admiralty, while waiting news of either incident, points out the feasibility of the launch exploit, since the equipment for sending torpedoes from small boats is an invention of the late Vice-Admiral Makaroff, which he utilized in the Russo-Turkish War.

Satisfaction is expressed at the Admiralty that there has been some equivalent for the disasters to the Port Arthur fleet.

Vice-Admiral Rojestvnski of the Baltic fleet said to the Associated Press that there would be no hurry for the voyage to the Far East, and that he does not expect now to arrive in the Pacific before September 1, next, at the earliest.

FEARS FOR KOUROPATKIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, May 17.—In the absence of actual news from the seat of war in the Far East, the London newspapers this morning comment on what is believed to be the precarious position of Gen. Kouropatkin, who is menaced by the possibility of the Chinese rebels cutting his communications, as well as by the difficulty of divining the Japanese plan of campaign.

The Standard, which is rather inclined to be pro-Russian in its views, admits that Kouropatkin has at his disposal almost 100,000 troops of inferior quality, only 75,000 of whom are available for active operations, while Gen. Kuroki has 140,000 first-class troops, the equal of those in European armies.

"Under such conditions," the Standard says, "the issue of the battle is very seldom doubtful."

The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Mail sends a report to the effect that Russia has suggested to Turkey some scheme for capitalization of the indemnity due by the latter for immediate payment to Russia as a means of increasing the revenue for war purposes.

AMERICAN OBSERVERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MUKDEN, May 15.—[Delayed in Transmission.] Lieut.-Col. Schuyler, United States army military observer with the Russian army, arrived here today, and after an interview with Viceroy Alexieff left for Liao Yang in the afternoon.

It appears that Capt. William S. Judson of the United States Engineer Corps, who is an observer with the Russian army, helped to avert a clash between parties of Russians during the Russian reoccupation of the railroad after the Japanese had cut it at Polandien. When the Japanese had temporarily retired from the railroad, a train with two companies of sappers was sent south from Liao Yang. Capt. Judson was aboard. When the train reached a break in the line a body of troops was seen and they were supposed to be Japanese. Sharpshooters were thrown out and prepafations were made to swoop down on the enemy. Capt. Judson, through his glasses, recognized the Russian uniforms and the troops proved to be a party sent up from the south.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEWCHWANG, May 15.—The Russians now admit that the railroad is practically closed to Port Arthur. Nothing has been heard from there by wire for three days and six days' mail, consigned to points south of Haiu Yen, was returned this afternoon. The furniture of the administration buildings here has been taken away. The Russians say that Gen. Linevitch, with a large army, is moving from Vladivostok towards Korea.

PLUNDERED BY RUSSIANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May 16.—A dispatch to the Central News from Tokio says telegrams from Seoul announce that several hundred Russians recently attacked and plundered the British gold mines at Eunsan, Korea. Many British and Japanese miners had their goods taken and several were imprisoned.

YI CHI YING'S RETURN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, May 16.—Yi Chi Ying, the Korean Envoy to Japan to return the recent visit of Marquis Ito, arrived at Chemulpo from Japan today. He was greeted by Korean officials.

An unofficial dispatch has been received here saying that a Russian force, estimated to number 300 men, has appeared at the British mines at Eunsan, Northern Korea, where they seized the belongings of the Japanese and Chinese employés. They did not touch British property. Some of the Japanese escaped, while others are reported to have been captured.

GREAT BATTLE IMMINENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—An intimation has reached the officials here to the effect that a great battle is imminent in the vicinity of Liao Yang, where the Russians are determined to make a stand. The rumor cannot be traced to its source.

CZAR AT MOSCOW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MOSCOW, May 16.—Emperor Nicholas arrived here at 9 o'clock this morning and left an hour later for Kharkoff.

RUSSIANS CORNERED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, May 16.—It is reported that a Japanese force has cornered 200 Russians north of Anju and is endeavoring to starve them out. The only provisions in the possession of the Rusians are those secured by forage, and it is expected that the food of the besieged men will soon be exhausted.

TO IMPRESS KOREANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, May 16.—Japanese are bringing to Seoul two Russian non-commissioned officers who were captured at Anju. The prisoners are being brought here with the intention of producing a moral effect on the Koreans.

At Japanese headquarters numbers of Chinese speaking Japanese have been engaged as interpreters for the Manchurian campaign.

ALLEGED SPIES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CRONSTADT, May 16.—Two Lascar stewards and an engineer have been arrested on board the British steamer Cameross and another on board a German steamer. They are suspected of being Japanese spies.

LOOKING AFTER JEWS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KIEFF, May 16.—Gov.-Gen. Kleigel has begun an inspection of the Jewish cities of the province. His tour is purely administrative and is not due to any unrest.

ATTACK ON COAL MINES.
LED BY CHINESE GOVERNOR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LIAO YANG, May 16.—Further details of the attack made, May 14, by Chinese soldiers upon the railway coal mines occupied by the Russian administrative force near Port Adams, show that the troops were the bodyguard of the Governor of Foo Chow, who led the attack in person and was attended by fifteen Chinese officials. The Governor ordered the arrest and the beheading of the Chinese miners. The Russians were stripped and driven off naked, their property was looted and 20,000 tons of coal were destroyed. A detachment of Japanese troops had passed the coal mines the day previous, but did not touch them, regarding them as private property.

Another conflict between Cossacks and Chinese bandits has occurred in the village of Chantaidzy. The bandits it is stated, were led by four Japanese troopers. The Cossacks, numbering thirty-three, lost two killed and succeeded in killing twenty-five of the bandits, the remainder of whom escaped. The bandits used dum-dum bullets.

Lieut. Sorokin, who was wounded in the eye at the fight at Kuliencheng, owes his life to the mercy of a Japanese soldier. When the lieutenant fell, after receiving his wound, a comrade stopped to rescue him. Two Japanese soldiers, one of whom carried a Red Cross flag and the other a rifle, came up. The soldier leveled his weapon and ordered Sorokin to remain prone upon the ground and his comrade to leave. Then the Japanese with the Red Cross flag carefully washed and dressed Sorokin's wound, gave him a drink and retired. Sorokin arrived here safely.

MAILS FOR MANCHURIA.
HOW THEY SHOULD BE SENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Following up its recent actions shifting the route of transit of all mails for Manchuria and Siberia, so as to avoid passing through territory where the mails might fall into Japanese hands, the Postoffice Department has issued a special order to postmasters directing that registered matter for Siberia and Manchuria should be dispatched in registered package envelopes marked "foreign," and addressed to the postmaster at New York City, there to be included in the mails made up for Russia. Mails for other parts of Russia enter the country at St. Petersburg and therefore undergo no risk.

The Japanese government took similar action several months ago about the time of the outbreak of the war, asking that the route of its mails be changed to avoid their going through channels subject to interruption, and this government promptly arranged for this new routing.

CHINESE NEUTRALITY.
RENEWED ASSURANCES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—In order to allay Russian apprehension as to the attitude of China, the Chinese Minister here has given Foreign Minister Lamsdorff fresh assurances of the purpose of his government not to violate its neutrality and to preserve tranquility throughout the empire. These assurances, which are based on dispatches received from the Chinese Foreign Office and Viceroy Yuan Shi Kai, Commander-in-Chief of the Chinese forces, set forth in the most positive terms that there is absolutely no ground to believe that China will depart from her proclaimed attitude.

"While there has not been the slightest fear that the peace of the empire will be disturbed, or that my government would intervene in the war," said the Chinese Minister to the correspondent of the Associated Press, "it was still deemed wise to communicate to Peking and Viceroy Yuan Shi Kai the sensational rumors circulating in Europe.

"The Chinese Foreign Office telegraphically reiterated that China is determined to continue to observe the strictest neutrality, giving support neither to Russia or to Japan.

"Viceroy Yuan Shi Kai telegraphed that the rumors of impending uprisings were without foundation, and assured me that a repetition of the Boxer revolt of 1900 was impossible."

The Minister was not advised of the attack of the Governor of Foo Chow on the coal mines at Port Adams. He thinks the circumstances are misunderstood, and that it will be found that there was no intention to commit an act of hostility against Russia.

Nor was the Minister informed of the reported Chinese attacks on Russian troops in Manchuria, for which even if they occurred China could not be held responsible, as the region is comprised within the theater of war.

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ST. NICK AN ABOMINATION.

St. Louis Clergyman Says Myth Teaches Children to Tell Lies.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) May 16.—At today's session of the Southern Baptist convention, Dr. DeFord of St. Louis entered a vigorous protest against teaching children that there is such a personage as Santa Claus. He said it was a myth and an abomination that should be relegated to the past. Dr. DeFord said that to teach children this deception was exceedingly hurtful, in that it would encourage and foster children to be deceitful.

PACIFIC SLOPE.

CHERRIES ROLL EAST.

Two Three Carloads from Vacaville and Suisun.

Talk About Year's Crop of Oranges and Lemons.

Trading Stamp Decision is Declared Invalid.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Alden Anderson, manager for the California fruit distributors, reports that the first three carloads of cherries from Vacaville and Suisun districts are rolling eastward. He says that from now on shipments will be steady and voluminous. One started Saturday, one today and one today.

Anderson has just returned from an inspection of eastern markets and says that from what he has seen he is convinced that California fruit growers are to have a prosperous season, that the demand will be large and the prices remunerative.

THIS YEAR'S FRUIT CROP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirty thousand freight cars will be needed to carry this year's crop of oranges and lemons from California to Chicago, according to H. Wells of Sacramento, who is at the Auditorium Annex, arranging with the railroads for delivery and disposal of the fruit company he represents.

"This is a mere trifle," said he, with a touch of sarcasm, as a transportation company's representative asked him after failing to agree with him. "Our total shipments last year were $1,232,455 and we received from the railroads got the rest. We are not kicking 'Crops are good,' the farmer says. We'll turn out the finest lot of fruit ever sent to the Coast. Twelve years ago we shipped three carloads of fruit; this year we will want 30,000."

Referring to the fruit output, we say: "We are heavy for vegetables. Last year our celery and Michigan crops will lose their reputation, reducing it if we get good crops so that we can ship everywhere. It's a the same with oranges."

FIRST JAPS ARRIVE.

ON A DUAL MISSION.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Two Japanese arrived here today on their way to the Eastern states and Europe. One of them is Issa Tanimura, commissioner of the Japanese government for the development of commercial relations, and the other Prof. Shozo Aso, dean of the Women's University at the government college.

Tanimura said: "We want Japanese stocks and bonds in the United States and to buy them. This is an important time to have bonds and stocks for sale and secure a market, and we would like to sell them. At the same time, we want stocks and bonds. My country desires to extend Japanese trade as soon as the war is over. We want to export more than we do, and to import as well. The development of this trade is my mission.

"I am here to study American methods for women in order that I may put the knowledge obtained in this country to the college for Japanese women soon to be inaugurated at Tokio.

WATCH FOR VICTIMS.

SEARCH FOR DROWNED ONES.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TRUCKEE (Nev.) May 16.—More than a hundred people line the banks of the Truckee river between Laughton's and the Truckee Meadows in an effort to discover the bodies of the victims of yesterday's tragedy. The vigil was kept at points where lights had been suspended all night, and early this morning searching parties were sent out to search the banks of the turbulent stream.

The body of Miss McMillan was found for a brief time to pass the electric light dam near here, but the witnesses of the brief uncovering of the form of the girl and its subsequent eclipse in the foam could not be found. Her aged father, who became frantic. At once, horsemen rode along the river below, with people to be on the lookout. The work of recovery is well organized, every available appliance, including lines stretched across the river at various points, have been brought into use.

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LIGHT VOTE AT SAN JOSE.

REFORM TICKETS WING ALL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, May 16.—Contrary to expectations, a light vote was polled at today's municipal election, 4200 votes being cast out of a registration of 5700. The citizens' or reform ticket won throughout over the people's ticket supported by John D. McKenzie, with the exception of City Clerk. The pluralities were as follows:

For Mayor, George D. Worswick, 264 over A. E. Shumate; City Clerk, Roy E. Walter, 8 over J. A. Belloli; treasurer, H. D. Matthews, 657 over J. A. Lotz; Councilman, Second Ward, John F. Carey, 610 over H. W. Otter; Councilman, Third Ward, Wesley L. Pieper, 682 over Daniel McGinley.

The new voting machines were used and the complete result of the election was known in less than thirty minutes, some precinct returns being counted in six and seven minutes.

WOOD AND SON GUILTY.

PENSION CONSPIRACY CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND, May 16.—After being out about an hour, this evening the grand jury in the United States District Court brought in a verdict of guilty in the case of T. A. Wood and Hosea Wood, who were on trial for conspiracy to defraud the United States government of pensions. The jury recommended clemency and it is probable that the prisoners will be let off with fines.

T. A. Wood is an attorney in this city and for years was prominent in the agitation that preceded the pensioning of the soldiers of the First Oregon Volunteers who aided in suppressing the Indians in Oregon and Washington in an early day. Hosea Wood is the son of T. A. Wood and his partner, and aided his father in his alleged illegal practice.

RUBE SMITH KNOCKED OUT.

BILLY OTTS HIS MASTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OAKLAND, May 16.—Billy Otts of San Francisco knocked out Rube Smith of Denver in the seventh round of what was to have been a fifteen-round contest before the Reliance Athletic Club tonight. It was a fierce slugging match from start to finish, with Smith doing most of the leading, but he was no match in strength for Otts, whose blows seemed to have terrific force. In only one round, the fourth, did Smith appear to have the better of it.

Otts caught Smith several terrific swings to the head in the sixth, sending him to the floor for the count of six. Just at the end of the round, Otts landed a fearful right swing to the head and Smith went down, apparently finished, but the gong saved him and he was assisted to his corner. Smith came up comparatively fresh for the seventh, but Otts met him as soon as he came out of his corner and after a fierce exchange Otts again landed a wicked right chop to the jaw. Smith went to his knees and was counted out.

In the preliminaries Jack Evans was given the decision over Tommy Taylor, and George Curran won from Caesar Attel, the latter being disqualified for going down without being hit.

Eddie Smith refereed all the bouts.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Pitcher Merkle Will Recover.

SAN JOSE, May 16.—Baseball Pitcher Merkle, who was struck in the head by a ball at a game at Salinas yesterday and brought home unconscious, will recover.

Transport Sherman Reaches Port.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The United States army transport Sherman, which has on board the Twenty-ninth Regiment of Infantry and two companies of coast artillery from Honolulu, arrived in port today.

Italian Cruiser Liguria Sails.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The Italian cruiser Liguria, Prince Luigi of Italy in command, sailed from this port today for Honolulu, where she will coal and proceed on her way to the Australian colonies. Her ultimate destination is said to be New York.

Battle With Mammoth Shark.

SANTA CRUZ, May 16.—There has been a great battle between fishermen and a mammoth shark, lasting from 8 o'clock on Sunday night until 5 o'clock Monday morning, in Monterey Bay, five miles off Santa Cruz Beach. The shark, which was drowned only after the destruction of four large nets in which it became entangled, weighs 2500 pounds and is twenty-two feet long.

Two Section Men Injured.

FLAGSTAFF (Ariz.) May 16.—Thomas Wheeler, a Santa Fé section foreman, and L. T. Sipe, while riding a velocipede car, were today struck by the east-bound Limited. Both were seriously injured and Wheeler may die. The accident occurred five miles east of Flagstaff. The injured men were taken to Winslow on the Limited. Wheeler, who had been in the West for twenty years, had made arrangements to visit his former home in the East. Sipe arrived here last Friday from Oregon.

Companions of the Forest Meet.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—The nineteenth annual session of the Supreme Grand Circle of Companions of the Forest opened in this city today. The morning was consumed in reading the yearly report by the Supreme Chief Companion, which showed that both the finances and membership of the order had materially increased. The afternoon session convened at 2 o'clock and the delegation got down to reading reports of the various circles.

WILL PROTECT NEGROES.

Louisiana's New Governor Says Neither Mob Rule Nor Social Equality Will be Tolerated.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BATON ROUGE (La.) May 16.—In the presence of a multitude gathered in the grounds of the State Capitol today, Newton C. Blanchard was inaugurated Governor. In his inaugural address Gov. Blanchard said:

"Mob law in contravention and defiance of law will not be tolerated. Lynchings will not be permitted, under any circumstances.

"The negro is here. He is a man and a citizen. He is useful and valuable in his sphere. Within that sphere he must be guaranteed equal protection of the law, and his education along proper lines—mainly agricultural and industrial—is at once a duty and a necessity. He must be protected in his right to live peaceably and quietly; in his right to labor and enjoy the fruits of his labor. He must be encouraged to industry and taught habits of thrift.

"No approach toward social equality or social recognition will ever be tolerated in Louisiana. Separate schools, separate churches, separate cars, separate places of entertainment will be enforced. Racial distinction and integrity must be preserved. But there is room enough in this broad Southland, with proper lines of limitations and demarkation for the two races to live on terms of mutual trust, mutual help, good understanding and concord.

"The South asserts its ability to handle and solve the negro question on humanitarian lines—those of justice and of right. We brook no interference from without."

"AS THE ROMANS DO."

Episcopal Monastery of the Order of the Holy Cross to be Dedicated Thursday.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Prelates of the Episcopal church from all parts of the country will participate on Thursday in the dedication of the monastery of the order of the Holy Cross at West Park, a little hamlet on the west bank of the Hudson River, ten miles above Poughkeepsie. The ceremonies will consume the entire day.

The new monastery has been built on an elevation almost on the water's edge. The grounds consist of seventy acres, and a large part of these are already under cultivation. More than 2500 grape vines have been planted and cattle and horses installed. There are also several hundred fruit trees, designed to provide a revenue for the maintenance of the order. The fathers will help till the soil and reap the harvests.

There is a common room in the monastery for the professed fathers, and one for the novices. There is also a common room for guests. Each of the fathers has a room or cell for his own use.

The order of the Holy Cross was founded in New York City in 1880 as a religious community of priests. Vows of poverty, chastity and obedience were required to be taken. For the past twelve years and up to this removal to West Park, the order has occupied a house at Westminster, Md.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, May 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] No relief from the cold weather is in sight. The entire central tier of States is suffering from the depression of the mercury, ranging from five to ten degrees below the normal and the forecaster gives out the opinion that these conditions will not improve for several days. The mean temperature was 43 deg., being ten below normal; maximum, 51 deg.; minimum, 39.

MIDDLE WEST TEMPERATURES.

Alpena 42, Bismarck 52, Cairo 58, Cheyenne 54, Cincinnati 60, Cleveland 54, Concordia 66, Davenport 60, Denver 56, Des Moines 52, Detroit 50, Dodge City 64, Dubuque 56, Duluth 46, Edmonton 64, Escanaba 45, Grand Rapids 50, Green Bay 48, Helena 62, Huron 48, Indianapolis 50, Kansas City 54, Marquette 40, Memphis 66, Milwaukee 42, Minnedosa 58, North Platte 64, Omaha 56, Rapid City 50, St. Louis 52, St. Paul 58, Soult Ste. Marie 38, Springfield, Ill., 52, Springfield, Mo., 54, Wichita 66.

NOT IN A CEMETERY.

Frederick St. John, the lawyer who stole away from his office on the day of his indictment in 1901 for assisting in a conspiracy to send Bailiff James J. Lynch, the jury briber, beyond the jurisdiction of the criminal court, is not dead, as occasionally reported, but on the contrary is sunning himself near the border line of California and Mexico. Sometimes when overcome with ennui he runs across a stretch of the Pacific to the Catalina Island, remains a while, returns to Los Angeles, San Diego or Yuma and loafs around while thinking up another performance to dispel dull care.

St. John's recent presence in Los Angeles is vouched for by a prominent business man of St. Catherine's, Ont., St. John's former home.

DESPERADO SULLY NO MORE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHAMBERLAIN (S. D.) May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The notorious desperado, Jack Sully, who for many years has been the terror of the Rosebud country, is no more. In a running fight with officers on the Rosebud reservation this morning he was killed, many bullets finding lodgment in his body, while the horse upon which he attempted to make his escape also shared the fate of its master.

A week or ten days ago Sully stole a bunch of nearly two hundred cattle. United States Commissioner Tidrick sent out deputies to bring in Sully, dead or alive. They found him at his home, near Blackbird Island, this morning. Sully for the last thirty-five years has been known as a lawless and desperate character. His most recent exploit was to break jail at Mitchell, where he was being held for a charge of cattle rustling.

ANOTHER CHARGE FOR FRAZIER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MARION (Ind.) May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Benjamin F. Frazier, arrested at San Bernardino today, is alleged to have embezzled money while acting as agent for the American Express Company here. Frazier was recently married to a prominent young society woman. An officer has gone to California for the prisoner.

HIS WIFE'S FIRST VICTIM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ELKHART (Ind.) May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seth Jones, Elkhart's wealthiest citizen, was arrested today for violating the anti-expectoration ordinance passed largely through the efforts of his wife. Jones was the first victim.

HARRIMAN GETTING CONTROL OF ERIE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Active selling of Erie shares on declining quotations was accompanied today by a batch of Wall-street rumors concerning that property. The report of a prospective reduction of the 4 per cent. dividend on the first preferred stock was revived, and that particular stock sold down from 59 (Saturday's close) to 57¼. There was heavy selling, the common as low as 21¼ and preferred 35 to 33.

According to Stock Exchange gossip, much of the selling came from Morgan interests. Morgan and his friends have been credited for a long time with carrying a large block of Erie first preferred, and the belief spread today that, having parted with control of the property, this interest was shifting its investment.

Some of the "room" traders suggested that the sudden weakness in Erie had been brought about by pressure from a powerful interest, which took advantage of the slump to quietly increase its holdings in these securities.

There was no indication of any selling from Harriman or Hill quarters, and the conviction grows stronger daily among railroad men that Harriman will soon appear as the dominant power in the Erie.

SANTA FE ENTERS OAKLAND.

ENTHUSIASTIC DEMONSTRATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OAKLAND, May 16.—The arrival of the first Santa Fé overland train today was made the occasion of an enthusiastic demonstration, participated in by the commercial organizations of the city and thousands of citizens. Two trains bearing guests and officials of the road were gaily decorated with flowers and national colors at various stops made on the way to this city.

A parade was one of the leading features of the celebration. Conspicuous in the procession were floats decorated with the floral wealth of the city. After winding through the principal streets, the parade had its conclusion at the new depot of the Santa Fé at Fortieth street. There the officers of the road were greeted by a large delegation of representative citizens. One of the addresses of welcome was made by Senator George Perkins, and responses were made on behalf of the Santa Fé by Capt. M. H. Payson and J. J. Byrne.

ANOTHER FIRST ARRIVAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

RICHMOND, May 16.—The first train to Oakland over the Oakland and East Side Railroad was run today and the begining of regular service was celebrated in both places. It is expected that Oakland will now compete with San Francisco for the trade of this place. Four trains will be run daily.

No Commission for Shamrock IV.

LONDON, May 16.—George L. Watson tells the Associated Press that there is no truth in the report that Sir Thomas Lipton has commissioned him and William Fife to design a Shamrock IV.

Sullivan Beats Gardner.

TOLEDO (O.) May 16.—Mike Sullivan was given the decision over Gus Gardner in a fast ten-round fight here tonight. Sullivan had the best of the fight throughout.

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New Pongee Suits $16.50.

Pongee suits are in great demand for this summer's wear. These are exceptionally pretty styles. The waists are prettily tucked and trimmed with lace bands, sleeves are also trimmed with bands of lace all around the bottom. Hale's price $16.50.

Taffeta Shirt Waist Suits $20.00.

These come in light gray striped effects, trimmed with tucks. Also come in brown and black dotted effects, the waists made with wide tucks in front, tucked sleeves, wide shaped girdles. Skirt is box plaited. Hale's price $20.00.

Mohair Shirt Waist Suits $10.50.

New mohair suits in brown, black and blue. The skirt is made with a seven-gore flare, stitched seams. The jacket is tucked in front and back, lined with silk, made with a silk girdle. These are exceptional values at $10.50.

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No New Developments in Peruvian Controversy Except Continued Military and Naval Preparations. British Crush Nigeria Rebels—Morocco Pretender Routed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—There is no change in the situation which confronts Col. Younghusband's mission to Thibet, says a Times dispatch from Gyang-Tse, under date of May 13. There is nothing to indicate the Thibetans' plan of operations, but it is clear they are not likely to rest content with the present occupation of Jong and Molesker by the mission at long range. The thin line of British communication with the outer world remains uncut, a curious proof of the entire lack of initiative or capacity of action except in large bodies on the part of the enemy.

PERUVIAN CONTROVERSY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—There are no new developments in the Peruvian controversy, says a Herald dispatch from Rio Janeiro, Brazil. Military and naval preparations continue. Beside the government vessels about to start for the upper Purus, the Governor of Amazonas has offered to ship and a thousand men of the provincial troops. The cruiser Tymberia has sailed from Manaos to Upper Amazonas.

NOTHING SERIOUS ANTICIPATED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, May 16.—Neither the Foreign Office nor the Brazilian Minister has any information in regard to the stopping of a British ship at Manaos, on the Amazon River, May 13, by the Brazilian authorities, because she had on board ammunition intended for the Peruvians. The Foreign Office does not anticipate that the incident will necessitate any serious protest.

BRITISH CRUSH REBELS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COLOGNE May 16.—The Berlin correspondent of the Cologne Gazette telegraphs that private dispatches from the Cameroons, say the Cross River rebels have been completely crushed, after an obstinate fight, by a British force in the territory of Southern Nigeria. The British losses were heavy. Thirteen officers and non-commissioned officers were killed.

PRETENDER HAS HEADACHE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, May 16.—According to a dispatch from Lalla Marinia, Algeria, the followers of the Moroccan Pretender recently attacked the Sultan's troops near Ujda, and the former were repulsed after severe fighting. Fifty of the Sultan's troops were killed. The rebels' losses are said to have been heavier.

Man's non-attendance at church services and the supposed reasons therefor was discussed by the clergymen in many New York pulpits, Sunday. They ascribed the absence of men from church to lack of religious sentiment and a disbelief in the orthodox religion of salvation.

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No Fraud and No Depreciation in Value Attended Sale of Globe Mine, 'Tis Answered.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TRENTON (N. J.) May 16.—The Old Dominion Copper Mining and Smelting Company today filed in the Court of Chancery today an answer to the suit of H. W. James and others. The complainants had charged that by the purchase of the Globe mine in Arizona, and by the consolidation of the two companies, the value of the Globe company had depreciated, and that there had been a fraud in the transaction.

The answer is a complete denial, both of the charge of fraud and of any depreciation in the value of the stock of the original owners of the Globe company. It is claimed in the answer that the two companies had been benefited.

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ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.

PRESS CONVENTIONS THE WEEK'S FEATURE.

National Editorial Association and World's Press Parliament Convene. Biennial Convention of Club Women—Good Roads Meeting.

[BY THE ASSOCIA TED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—The third week of the World's Fair opened today with a programme of newspaper conventions replete with interest. They will occupy almost every hour of the six days with sessions of different organizations. The principal conventions of the week are those of the National Editorial Association, which began today and will continue until Thursday, and the World's Press Parliament, which begins Thursday and concludes Saturday. Numerous other conventions will be held on the grounds in State buildings by different press associations, and when the newspaper men are not in attendance at the conventions they will be tendered entertainments.

Hundreds of club women who are delegates to the Federation of Women's Clubs are already here or are coming on special trains for the opening session of the seventh biennial convention, tomorrow.

The nineteenth annual convention of the National Editorial Association, comprising 500 delegates, representing the State press associations of the United States, convened today in the Hall of Congresses, and will be in session four days. Capt. Henry King, editor-in-chief of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, presided. The delegates were formally welcomed by President Francis of the exposition.

Delgates from all parts of the United States and some from foreign countries were present today at the opening session of the convention of the National and International Good Roads Association.

DEVELOPMENT OF OIL IN THE PHILIPPINES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Americans watching the development of the Philippine Islands will be interested to know that F. H. Oliphant of the United States Geological Survey predicts that in a few years petroleum will be one of the commodities exported from the islands. Luzon, Panay, Leyte, Gimeras, Negros, Mindanao and Cebu contain petroleum. There are some rich oil wells on the Island of Luzon, and capitalists usually prospect among these before they go to other islands. On Panay are deposits of oil located from 200 to 500 feet below the surface. On the islands of Negros, Cebu and Mindanao oil strata are worked to good advantage by native and foreign capitalists. The position of these islands would indicate the probable existence of petroleum as Borneo, on the southwest, and Formosa and Japan on the north, contain productive areas that are extensively operated.

The best oil appears to be contained in stratum consisting of rock, gravel and sand nearly twenty feet in thickness, lying about 400 feet below the surface. This rock is in some places too hard to piece with native devices, but American drilling tools cut it readily. The oil lands generally belong to the government. The advent of the Americans in the islands has greatly stimulated the development of oil fields. American capitalists are now interested in developing the richest deposits of the country, and have arranged for the purchase of the necessary plant. At the present time there are several well-established and paying plants in the islands.

When pumped from the earth Philippine oils are usually dark green in color. By refining an average of 8 per cent. benzine is produced from crude petroleum, and about 40 per cent. illuminating oil. The remainder is gas, oil and tar. From the latter paraffine is extracted. The cost of getting crude oil is very low, as compared with the expense in most other countries. Labor at the wells is extremely cheap, ranging from 10 to 12 cents a day. For this price both native and Chinese laborers give a full day's work and provide their own lodging and sustenance.

CHICAGO FEDERATION BOYCOTTS DIRECTORY

[BY THE ASSOCIA TED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, May 16.—The Chicago Federation of Labor has adopted a resolution requesting members of unions affiliated with it to refuse to permit their names to appear in the forthcoming city directory. It is charged in the resolution that the firm publishing the directory has "expressed a determined opposition to organized labor in general by its efforts to maintain a so-called open shop."

The directory of the Chicago Telephone Company, also published by this firm, was included in the resolution.

MARINE BAND AND UNION.

OLD TROUBLE RESURRECTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—As a result of a protest of the local union of musicians against the acceptance by members of the United States Marine Band of positions in the orchestra of a local theater, the President has ordered that no member of the band shall take the place of any civilian dismissed on account of a labor dispute. The union had presented the issue in the case to the President, claiming that the dismissals were made because the men refused to accept less than union prices.

No member of the band was in his place in the orchestra when the matinee performance was given this afternoon.

STRIKERS PAID OFF.

SITUATION SUITS MUDGE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) May 16.—In single file, sixty-five of the striking machinists from the local shops of the Santa Fé Railroad walked past the paymaster's desk in the office of the treasurer of the company today and drew their pay checks. Each man was asked to turn over the key to the locker used by him during his service with the railroad company.

"The situation here is very satisfactory to us," said General Manager Mudge of the Santa Fé. "We have all the men we require at Topeka and other shop points along the line."

Ohio Coal Miners Strike.

ZANESVILLE (O.) May 16.—Because of the failure of the joint Scale Committee to reach a satisfactory agreement, 2560 coal miners in subdistrict No. 6 went out on a strike today.

TO UNIONIZE MUSIC.

ART LONG, UNIONS FLEECING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Delegates from all the large cities have arrived here to attend the annual convention of the American Federation of Musicians, which, it is expected, will continue through this week.

This year's session is of unusual interest from the fact that it is the first convention of the Federation of Musicians since the Musical Mutual Protective Union of this city became affiliated with the body. For many years a large and influential faction of the Musical Mutual Protective Union opposed affiliation with the federation on the ground that the latter, having a charter from the American Federation of Labor, was identified with trades-unions in every mechanical calling.

MANY PYTHIANS ARE GATHERED.

MOST BRILLIANT SCENE EVER IN BAKERSFIELD.

Six Hundred Delegates and Members of Grand Lodge of California and Rathbone Sisters' Grand Temple on Hand for Opening Sessions This Morning.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, May 16.—About six hundred delegates and members of the Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge of California and about two hundred of the Rathbone Sisters, are in Bakersfield tonight for the opening of the Grand Lodge and the Grand Temple tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Every part of the business centers of the two towns tonight is ablaze with lights and decorations, forming a scene of beauty such as Bakersfield has never seen before. The Bakersfield military and the Fifty-sixth Regiment Band of Fresno are giving street concerts in Bakersfield and Kern.

A special train from San Francisco and the territory around the bay this evening brought over two hundred delegates. A committee of the knights met the delegates some distance from Bakersfield and a crowd was at the station to meet them and to show them to lodgings selected in the city.

Tonight Armory Hall was crowded with delegates, Knights, Rathbone Sisters and citizens generally for the grand reception. Every seat in the building was taken. Overhead and on every side were streamers of bunting, national flags, the colors of the order and the shields and emblems of the knights and their ladies. A fine programme of music was arranged by the Rathbone Sisters. On behalf of the local knights, H. S. Dumble welcomed the visitors to Bakersfield. He was followed by H. A. Jastro, chairman of the County Board of Supervisors, who spoke on behalf of the citizens. Responses were made by Grand Chancellor Sargent of the knights and by Grand Chief, Mrs. Maud G. Sheehan, of the Rathbone Sisters.

It is expected there will be an interesting contest for the office of Grand Prelate, which is the stepping stone to the Grand Chancellorship. It is reported several candidates have already announced themselves, each backed by a large following. There will also be a contest for the next meeting place of the convention.

CLARANARIO CONFESSES.

A special to the Californoan from Tehachepi says Leon Claranario this afternoon made a full confession to Constable John Kett that he committed the murder of Aruju alone and unassisted. Mrs. Aruju was present at the time they quarreled, and she afterward assisted him in disposing of the body.

The fugitive tells the full story of his flight from Tehachepi to Cameron on Wednesday, after the crime was committed, and from there to Mojave, where he remained three days. He was unable to get work, and went from there to Los Angeles, concealed himself there awhile, and then went to San Diego, where he was arrested.

THE GREAT WAR.

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which is specifically exempted from Chinese jurisdiction.

DESTROYING RAILROAD.

RUSSIANS FALLING BACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 16.—The Japanese evidently are determined that there shall not be any further rail communication between Gen. Kouropatkin and Port Arthur. Official advices received today by the General Staff say the Japanese have destroyed fifty miles of the railroad north of Kinchou. No resistance was made by the Russians, who are gradually abandoning it. On the Japanese approach, Col. Spiridorof of the Amur Railroad Battalion, is seeking to render the railroad as useless as possible by removing the switches and otherwise disabling the railroad. The Russians are retiring because of the approach of the Japanese column sent westward by Gen. Kuroki immediately after the occupation of Feng Wang Cheng.

Experts who discussed the military situation today expressed the opinion that Gen. Kouropatkin will not remain at Liao Yang. Their view seems to be borne out by reports from Liao Yang announcing the departure of Russian families from that point. It is said that Gen. Kouropatkin is not at all discouraged by the advance of the Japanese. Telegrams received here today from Liao Yang report him as being "perfectly satisfied" with the outlook.

It was announced today that the tenth and seventeenth army corps will leave May 18 for Manchuria. This force includes the Orenburg division of Cossacks and artillery armed with the new model rapid-fire field guns.

Grand Duke Nicholas left St. Petersburg today to join the Emperor. He will make a careful inspection of the cavalry to be sent out to the Far East.

STILL REMOVING MINES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, May 17, 10:30 a.m.—Admiral Katako reports that on the 15th the operation of removing the mines in Kerr Bay was continued by the torpedo boats under protection of a bombardment by the fleet. There is no change in the enemy's defenses, except the addition of two or three field guns to their position, which had the effect of interrupting the work of clearing the bay of the mines. Nevertheless, the Japanese destroyed eight mines, but there are many more left and the work of destroying them will be continued.

ANOTHER JAP LANDING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEWCHWANG, May 16 (evening.)—The Russians were surprised by the appearance of the enemy at Kai Chau, twenty miles south of Yinkow this morning. They were expecting the Yalu army. Nine transports, assisted by the navy, landed many troops and the remainder will land tonight and tomorrow. The number of the Japanese force is not known. The warships shelled the shore from early morning until evening. The Japanese are expected here on Wednesday and the Russians are rapidly evacuating the town.

PROSPECTIVE BATTLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ANTUNG, May 10 [Via Seoul, May 16.]—The concentration of the Russian force at Liao Yang will make that place the first line of defense and the first great battle will probably be fought there. No important aggressive action by this army is expected in the near future. Since the Russian fleet at Port Arthur has been bottled up, the Japanese find it possible to safely use this port as a base and to abandon most of the land transportation through Korea, using the regular army transport equipment for conveying munitions from Antung.

ATTACK ON PORT ARTHUR.

EXPECTED IN FEW DAYS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHEFOO, May 16.—A combined land and sea attack on Port Arthur is expected to take place between May 20 and May 23.

The Japanese hope to occupy Port Dalny within a few days. Dalny is not fortified, the only fort in the vicinity being one midway between Tallenwan and Kinchou. After the destruction of the submarine mines at Tallenwan the Japanese intend to land additional troops there and commence an attack on Port Arthur.

A Japanese officer informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that the Japanese are ready to lose two thousand men in the attack. This he did not consider to be a large number, in view of the great percentage of sick and wounded who will be able to retake the field as a result of modern hospital equipment.

Well informed Chinese say the entrance to Port Arthur is not blocked.

NOT A RACE WAR.

NOR RELIGIOUS COMBAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, May 16.—In refutation of the claim that racial and religious prejudices inspired the Japanese to engage in the war with Russia, thousands of Buddhists, Shintoists and Christians held a joint meeting today at which addresses denying the charge were delivered by several leading priests and ministers. A resolution was adopted declaring that the war was not connected with racial or religious questions, but was being carried on to insure the security of the empire of Japan and permanent peace in the East. It was further asserted that this was distinctly in the interest of justice and the civilization of the world.

OBITUARY.

Alexander Stevenson.

SACRAMENTO, May 16.—Alexander Stevenson, one of the wealthiest and best-known farmers of Sacramento county, dropped dead at his residence near Elk Grove about 5 o'clock this morning, presumably from heart disease. He was one of the pioneers of the State, coming to California across the plains in '52.

J. T. Barr.

CHICAGO, May 16.—J. T. Barr, assistant to the president of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, is dead at his home in Libertyville, Ill., of heart disease. He was 52 years old and was one of the best known railroad mechanical men in the country.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Normandie, C. F. Besselman; Cadillac, C. L. Bayley and wife; Spalding, D. T. Snedeker; Park Avenue, D. N. Towne, all of Los Angeles. At the Cadillac, C. W. Holinquist and wife; Albermarle, A. D. Robinson and wife, San Diego.

WASHINGTON.

HITCHCOCK SUSTAINED.

Removal of Cattle from the Chickasaw Country.

The Supreme Court Upholds Turner's Deportation.

Promising Outlook for Oil in the Philippines.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—In an opinion by Justice White, the Supreme Court of the United States today affirmed the opinion of the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia in the case of E. T. Morris et al. vs. Secretary Hitchcock. The case involves the validity of an act of the legislature of the Chickasaw Indian nation for the removal of cattle from the Chickasaw country. Morris and his assistants attacked the constitutionality of the law, but this contention was overruled and the law and the action of the Secretary was sustained.

FINDING AFFIRMED.

HOOKER-BURR CASE DECIDED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The United States Supreme Court today affirmed with costs the decision of the California Supreme Court in the case of John D. Hooker, plaintiff in error vs. John Burr, A. W. Rhodes and W. A. Hammel, defendants in error. This suit was brought against John Burr, A. W. Rhodes and W. A. Hammel as defendants, John Burr having been Sheriff of Los Angeles county and W. A. Hammel, as his successor in office, to cancel a deed made by John Burr as Sheriff to A. W. Rhodes under execution sale, and against Burr and Hammel to compel the execution of a deed to the plaintiff for property, A. W. Rhodes being made a party defendant because his interest under the deed executed by the Sheriff to him, and facts out of which right of action is alleged to have arisen, were set forth in the original complaint.

TURNER AN ANARCHIST.

MUST BE DEPORTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—In an opinion by Chief Justice Fuller, the United States Supreme Court sustained the action of the immigration authorities at the port of New York in ordering the deportation of the Englishman, Turner, alleged to be an anarchist.

The Chief Justice said in his opinion that Turner did not himself deny that he is an anarchist. The opinion upheld the law for the exclusion of anarchists, and affirmed the decision of the Circuit Court for the southern district of New York, which refused a writ of habeas corpus for Turner.

ARE "FELLOW-SERVANTS."

TELEGRAPHER AND FIREMAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Supreme Court of the United States today laid down the principle that a telegraph operator for a railroad company and a fireman on a railroad engine are "fellow-servants" and that the negligence of the former, causing the death of the latter in the operation of trains was a risk the fireman assumed and was not ground for damage against the railroad company.

The case was that of A. A. Dixon against the Northern Pacific Railroad for damages for death of her husband, C. A. Dixon, a fireman, who was killed in a collision by the negligence of an operator.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Report on Filipino Students.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The second quarterly report of Prof. William Alexander Sutherland, in charge of the Filipino students in the United States, has been received by the bureau of insular affairs of the War Department. Prof. Sutherland speaks of the excellent health of the students, who spent their first winter on the Southern Pacific Coast and also of the satisfactory progress made in the school work.

General Distributing Officer.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Rear-Admiral Walker today announced that Admiral Kenny, retired, formerly paymaster-general of the navy, had accepted the office of general distributing officer of the Isthmian Canal Commission and would shortly be formally appointed. It is said that his appointment will in no wise conflict with the duties of Paymaster Tobey, who will make the disbursements on the isthmus, while Admiral Kenny will be in general charge.

New Consul is a Negro.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The President has appointed as Consul at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, J. B. Peterson of Brooklyn. Peterson, who is a negro, is one of the proprietors of the New York Age.

Supreme Court Adjourns Soon.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Supreme Court of the United States met today and delivered a number of opinions, after which it took a recess until the 31st inst. The Chief Justice announced that the court on that date would adjourn for the term.

CONQUERED BY HUNGER.

President of Husband's Anti-Euchre Society Resigns on Account of Starvation.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Hunger has driven some of the members of the Husbands' Anti-Euchre Society of Bayonne, N. J., into retreat and the president has resigned. His office is still vacant, and the wives who were to be cured of playing euchre six afternoons a week appear to have more than held their ground.

In his letter of resignation the head of the reform movement declares that since he became so active in his efforts to suppress the amusement his wife appears to have forgotten how to cook, and that out of regard for his stomach he is compelled to resign. All those who have been offered the presidency report a similar trouble in the culinary department at home, and the reform movement appears to be on the wane.

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THE PHILIPPINES.

MOROS WILL BE PUNISHED.

GEN. WOOD AT THE HEAD OF A PUNITIVE EXPEDITION.

Killing of American Officers and Soldiers to be Avenged—Ali's Band of Marauders to be Exterminated. Remainder of Natives Disposed to be Peacable.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Moros who attacked the American troops May 8 and killed two officers and a number of men, may be severely punished by Maj.-Gen. Wood, who is marching on the band with a force of 450 officers and men. Maj.-Gen. Ainsworth, military secretary, today received a cablegram from Gen. Wade, commanding in the Philippines, in reply to a message asking particulars concerning the movement against the Moros in Mindanao. Gen. Wade's message is as follows:

"Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, with 450 officers and men, are en route to recover the bodies of our killed. Two of the number previously reported killed have come in. It is learned that four men reported killed are alive.

"There is no trouble outside of Ali's band. Piang is friendly to the United States. Everything quiet in Cottabato Valley, people planting crops and are anxious to have Ali's band taken, and are furnishing assistance freely and willingly. Ali's outfit is in the district of Lake Lignaran, which is swampy and almost uninhabitable.

"Word from the expedition is not to be expected for several days. It will take the commander six days' hard marching to reach the place where the engagement of May 8 occurred."

Officials of the War Department hesitate to express any opinion about the movement of Gen. Wood's column, but it is evident that the Moros will be unable to resist such a force. Some of those who are informed concerning the attitude of the Moros believe that they will attempt to prevent the advance of the American soldiers, in which case there probably will be a decisive encounter.

LEWISOHN JAILED.

New York Millionaire Charged With Gambling Refused to Answer Questions.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Jesse Lewisohn, the banker who was subpoenaed to testify regarding his knowledge of gambling in this city, declined to answer questions put to him by Dist.-Atty. Jerome before Judge Wyatt in the Court of Special Sessions today. Mr. Jerome immediately made application to Justice Wyatt for the commitment of the witness for contempt.

This was granted, and Lewisohn was given his choice of summary commitment or a warrant for misdemeanor. He chose the former, and an application was made at once to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus. After a transcript of what transpired before Justice Wyatt in the Court of General Sessions had been written, Lewisohn was taken before the grand jury.

A writ of habeas corpus was secured from Justice Dugro in the Supreme Court. The writ was secured on a petition in which Lewisohn held that the proceedings are illegal and unconstitutional in that his counsel was excluded from the examination, that he had previously answered the questions and that there was no ground in law for even the issuance of the summons in the case.

When taken before the grand jury Lewisohn refused to answer questions and was then declared in contempt of court by Judge McMahon. He was committed to the Ludlow-street jail. The writ of habeas corpus obtained from Justice Dugro, however, will review the case in its entirety, thus probably obviating the necessity of his incarceration.

HE KNOWS CANFIELD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Accompanying the petition filed by Lewisohn's attorneys was a transcript of the proceedings before Justice Wyatt. According to the records, Lewisohn declined to answer when asked if he knew the premises at No. 5, East Forty-fourth street, on the ground that it might tend to incriminate or degrade him. He admitted knowing Richard Canfield, but when asked if he ever had been Canfield on the East Forty-fourth-street premises he declined to answer on the same ground as before. After this question had been repeated three times, Lewisohn each time declining to answer, Justice Wyatt ordered him committed.

In his examination before the grand jury Lewisohn said he knew Canfield had been in his house. He refused to say whether he had ever seen Canfield there, whether he gambled there or whether he had seen anyone gamble in the house.

After Lewisohn had been ordered committed to Ludlow-street jail the warden of that prison informed District Attorney Jerome that he could not receive Lewisohn because he was not authorized to receive criminal prisoners. It was then decided to take Lewisohn to the Tombs, but as he was being conducted there the Deputy Sheriff in charge was served with papers in habeas corpus proceedings in the Supreme Court and was compelled to take his prisoner before Justice Dugro. There arrangements were made to have arguments on the habeas corpus proceedings put over until Thursday next, Lewisohn in the meantime being paroled in custody of his counsel.

It was stated tonight that District Attorney Jerome tomorrow will ask the grand jury to indict Lewisohn because of his refusal to answer questions put to him while a witness before that body.

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POLITICAL.

(Continued from First Page.)

...history of Mr. Hearst, ...Jeter's name before the ... Jeter's nomination was ... by Messrs. Hutchison of ... Shanahan of Shasta and ... of Alameda. The duty of pre... the name of Mr. Gould was ... Mr. Whitney of San Fran... The seconding speeches were ... Delegates Power of Alameda ... of Modoc. The convention ...ewhat impatient at the ora... There was a loud demand for ...

VOTE FOR CHAIRMAN.

...lling was attended with consid... confusion, it being necessary to ... roll in several districts. When ... Gould cast 100 votes for Gould, ... greeted his election, and there was ...ment of cheering from his sup... It was some time before the sec... could announce the result, ... was known to be close. Finally ... was brought out of chaos and ... was announced as follows:

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WHO WAS THE CLAIRVOYANT?

Perhaps it was a mere coincidence that, on the same day, Mr. Hearst should have declared that he would support the Democratic nominee, no matter who he may be, and that Col. Henry Watterson should have penned one of his hot-stuff editorials declaring Mr. Hearst insane.

Did the colonel have a "hunch" that Mr. Hearst was about to so declare himself, and find in that declaration inspiration for his editorial?

Did Mr. Hearst have a "hunch" that Marse Henry was about to flay him alive, and so hasten to steal the doughty Kentuckian's thunder?

Probably neither a prophet nor the son of a prophet will ever know—or tell, at any rate; but the coincidence, if such it is, cannot fail to be noted with interest.

Granting, without dispute that Col. Watterson had ample justification for his belief, long before Hearst's loyalty announcement, it is nevertheless easy to see wherein that alone might have been sufficient. Hearst says he "does not have to be bribed by office to be a Democrat." This veiled repudiation of bribery methods, coming from Mr. Hearst, might easily have justified the colonel. Again, Hearst says he has been making his fight for the nomination "in the name of progressive Democracy." The inference attendant upon this remark that Democracy is progressive, would at once suggest that the man be examined for paresis; but granting, for the moment, the possibility of such a conception, Mr. Hearst's claim that he is a representative of the so-called "progressive Democracy" would be sufficient ground for his commitment. Asked about the significance of the several contesting Hearst delegations over the country, Mr. Hearst declared that the contests were instituted by his friends, and that he would not have sanctioned them had they come to his knowledge in time. Now, after that, who shall say that Marse Henry isn't justified? If Mr. Hearst really believes that he believes what he said in this particular, his case is hopeless; and when he asks the people to believe that he didn't know about these contests, and would not have sanctioned them Col. Watterson's words seem to constitute a remarkably clear and concise presentation of the case.

It's safe to bet that what a man has done, he is mightily likely to again do; and as to Mr. Hearst's "loyalty" to the Democratic party, the only comment necessary is to recite his attitude toward Senator Stephen M. White and Hon. Franklin K. Lane of California. Doubtless Col. Watterson is familiar with this chapter of Mr. Hearst's "Democracy," and in that knowledge he may have conceived the idea that Hearst, in asking the people to believe in the party "loyalty" in his nature, shows unmistakable evidence of the malady so lucidly described by Marse Henry.

But no matter which one of these two had the real "hunch," they both have contributed to the spice of the campaign. The Louisville Courier-Journal is served by the Associated Press, which sent out Mr. Hearst's statement; and doubtless Col. Watterson's news columns gave space to that statement. The printing of it, in the same issue in which the above-mentioned editorial appeared, would certainly make that issue an interesting one.

It is significant, also, that although Hearst's statement was probably in Col. Watterson's hands in ample time to admit of it, he did not stop the presses to retract anything he said in the editorial.

LET OTHERS TAKE HEART.

Cities infested with unionism in its virulent forms are invited to consider the condition of Los Angeles, and "go and do likewise."

For instance union carpenters working on three of the largest contracts in the city recently threw down their tools because the contractor "fired" the union "steward," refused to employ union men exclusively, declined to agree to a flat wage schedule, and refused to reinstate the "steward" he had discharged.

That the case may be thoroughly understood, let it be known that the duties of this "steward" were to see that the unionists did not begin work before 8 o'clock in the morning and that they quit promptly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and incidentally that they did not work too diligently at any time. When the contractor discovered that one of his men was acting as "steward," he promptly discharged him. A strike followed, and the union's walking delegate came forward with the demands mentioned above. The contractor gave the men from Saturday until Monday to return to work without prejudice, [illegible] "steward," and at the same schedule that he had always paid—from $3 to $5 per day, according to efficiency.

The places of the strikers were promptly filled with independent, capable and conscientious workmen, and the work on the three large contracts is proceeding smoothly, rapidly and uninterruptedly.

That is the Los Angeles way. In other words, when unreasonable unionists try this kind of a game, they are promptly kicked out of the place and told to hunt other jobs. Los Angeles does not tolerate, for one minute, unionism interference, attempted domination and high-handed methods. In Los Angeles all workmen, union or non-union, must play fair or go hungry.

Unionist-ridden communities will be disposed to say: "That's all very well for Los Angeles, but such a course here would ruin employers." There is just one answer to that—and that answer is all-sufficient. Time was when the employers of Los Angeles thought that they, too, faced ruin when they opposed unionism. But when unionism overstepped the bounds of reason, Los Angeles employers made their fight for industrial freedom and individual liberty, and they have kept that fight fast and furious ever since. And they have won—just as all others will win who make their stand for right for liberty under the law, for justice to all workingmen irrespective of trades-union alliances, and for the inalienable right of the employer to lawfully conduct his business as to him seems best.

Unionism was, is and doubtless always will be, whipped in Los Angeles; and the only way for other cities to attain our happy, prosperous and peaceful position is to make the fight, fairly and squarely, against unionism and keep up the fight unfalteringly until the day is won. Los Angeles won because public sentiment was with the employers; and this was so because the employers demanded nothing but their rights under the law, because they demanded law and order and because they stood for industrial freedom and individual liberty.

THE DEMOCRATIC INCUBUS.

In a New York dispatch Senator Dolliver of Iowa is quoted as declaring that "the best thing that could happen for Judge Parker, if he is to be the Democratic nominee, would be for Bryan to bolt the convention," and that "the party must be rid of that incubus if it is to have a show of success."

This statement sets forth as obvious truth pointedly and concisely. The most serious obstacle to Democratic success today, and it has been a serious obstacle to Democratic success for some years past—is Bryanism. It was a most unfortunate day for the Democratic party when William J. Bryan broke into its ranks and reached a place at the head of the procession. His populistic principles and radical notions of party management have done more than any other one thing to prevent Democratic success and to promote strife within the party's ranks. It is as Mr. Dolliver says. The Democratic party must rid itself of this incubus if it is to have a show of success.

Fortunately for the Democracy, there is a fair prospect that it will soon be rid of the incubus of Bryanism. The more conservative, sane and sensible men of the party have taken hold of the work of reorganization in a manner that shows their sincerity and earnestness, at least, whether they succeed or not. There is not much doubt that this better element of the Democracy will succeed in organizing the St. Louis convention, and there is the strongest probability that Judge Alton B. Parker of New York will be nominated for President. This will mean the relegation of Bryan and Bryanism to the rear; or rather, it will mean the utter repudiation of Bryan and Bryanism, so far as the Democratic party is concerned, for neither will have force or influence in Democratic councils if repudiated in the coming campaign.

The repudiation of Bryanism will not give the Democracy any very decided "show of success" in the election to be held next November. Nothing short of a miracle can prevent the election of Theodore Roosevelt, whatever action may be taken by his political opponents. But if the Democracy can succeed in getting itself reorganized on a right basis at this time, and can stay reorganized for the next four years, it might have a fighting chance at the end of that time. It will be necessary, however, for the Democracy to convince the American people that it has forever divorced itself from the fallacies included under the general term of Bryanism before it can make any successful bid for public confidence.

There is another incubus which is seeking to fasten itself upon the ill-starred Democratic party, and which would be even more fatal to its chances of success if the attempt should be accomplished. If Hearstism should gain control in Democratic councils, it would handicap the party and destroy public confidence in it to a greater extent than Bryanism has done. The access of Hearstism to dominancy in Democratic affairs would so demoralize and weaken the party as to make its success impossible for many years to come.

Luckily for the Democracy, the irruption of Hearstism is an element of little or no danger, because it will almost certainly be abortive and futile. The conservative elements of the party are in a fair way to triumph over the extremists, and to place the party in such a position that it will be a foe worthy of the Republican steel.

THE "OPEN SHOP."

The most vital issue today in American politics is that of the "Open Shop." This phrase, in epitome, stands for the individual liberty of the American citizen, whether he be a laborer or a capitalist.

The problem affects all laborers equally with other citizens. The recent action of the Brotherhood of American Locomotive Engineers is significant, and it is obvious that not a few of the laborers of this nation are beginning to realize that organized tyranny, whether it be that of King George or King Boycott, is contrary to the fundamental principles of American liberty.

The "open shop" means that every laborer shall be protected in his right to work for what and for whom he pleases, without let or hindrance, after he has made a bargain with his employer. It means also that the business man and property owners shall have the right to run his shop as he likes, unawed by organized tyranny, and restricted only by law. That was the essential principle of the Declaration of Independence when it declared as inalienable the pursuit of life, liberty and happiness by every human being. The same principle is embedded in the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution, declaring that no one shall be deprived of "life, liberty or property without due process of law." For the right to labor is a property, and this undisturbed right is a "pursuit of happiness."

The same principle applies to the union laborer in his right to organize and to strike—quit work when he pleases. It should protect him from being forced, by injunction, to work for his employer, and the right is as sacred to him as to the remainder of the community. When, however, he organizes to boycott the rest of the community into his arbitrary demands, he violates this principle. It is as much organized tyranny as that of King George, against which the American Revolution was fought.

Doubtless President Roosevelt had in mind this vital distinction when he became a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. That organization draws the line at this principle of individual liberty. It recognizes the right of the laborer to organize for self-protection only. Whenever a large body of law-abiding citizens unite in a common demand for what they consider important rights, they must be respected. If the business man cannot concede these demands, then there must be an arbiter provided by law in some proper way. King Boycott must not be allowed to rule. This is the principle upon which The Times has made its successful fight for the past twenty years. It must ere long become the established doctrine of the American people. It is a great principle, vital to the very existence of the republic, and for it patriotic citizens may well fight, and fight on "and on, and on."

Gov. Odell of New York is to be commended for his determination to protect the beauty of Niagara Falls against the encroachments of manufacturing concerns. The mad commercialism of the present day must be held in check if this country is to preserve the beauty of its great natural wonders. There are ample fields for industrial enterprise outside of nature's wonderlands, and the mutilation of our country's "show places" should be stopped, whether that mutilation is in the form of signs on rocks or factories that shadow Niagara Falls.

Lightning, political and otherwise, plays strange pranks; for while divers frightened "possibilities" are diving under feather beds to escape the Vice-Presidential bolt, Hon. John L. Webster of Nebraska stands boldly out in the open, with his lightning-rod projecting high into the air.

Prof. Starr of the University of Chicago has expressed surprise at the pro-Japanese sentiment existing in this country, and declares that the "yellow peril" will ultimately be realized, with China in command of the world. The situation is at least worth the careful consideration of the white races.

President Eliot of Harvard declares more money will not bring more joy; but there are doubtless numerous persons who would at least like to experience a more-money sensation, if for no other reason than to disprove the eminent educator's statement.

The Philadelphia elevator men might as well understand first as last that they will never get up in the world by indulging in sympathetic strikes.

Those who are disposed to take exception to the statement that the Far East war is a contest of the Christianity of Russia against the paganism of Japan, will find food for thought in the action of the Japanese who fired upon a Red Cross train and continued firing until it was out of range.

Five months of war have cost Russia $125,000,000, or more than $1,000,000 a day. At this rate, the ordinary man will not feel that he can afford to do more than shy one brick and hoist a white flag.

With $3,000,000 from the Federal government as a starter, California will undoubtedly reclaim much of the arid waste of the Colorado. Roses will bloom in the desert at some early day.

Although Col. Watterson may have been a trifle dilatory in reaching his conclusion concerning Mr. Hearst's mental condition, his description of it does not lack clearness and emphasis.

Pension Commissioner Ware insists on the acceptance of his resignation. He would rather write poetry in his Kansas home than hold a public office in Washington.

Cheer up, Judge Parker. Mr. Hearst may have been only fooling when he declared he would support, in his newspapers, the nominee of the St. Louis convention.

Mr. Hearst says he will give the support of his papers to the nominee of the St. Louis convention. This is the first real discouragement Judge Parker has had.

The college commencement season, now close at hand, will doubtless demonstrate how little we really knew previously about the Far East war and the combatants.

It is understood that there is a movement on foot to provide a bill-poster's brush and bucket of water with each World's Fair postage stamp.

Now that the Honolulu people have covered the erstwhile Los Angeles "shirtless prophet" with flowers, he need not fear police interference.

Now that Mr. Carnegie has given fulsome praise to the King of England, His Highness doubtless feels that he has not lived in vain.

Mr. Bryan asks "what is a dollar good for?" Possibly a consultation with Mr. Hearst might throw some light on the question.

Doubtless, as Vice-President, he would make a great Hitt.

"Tom" Corwin Found the Reason.

This story is told of the famous "Tom" Corwin: During his first term in the Ohio House of Representatives, about the year 1823, a bill to stop the whipping of criminals was under discussion. Corwin, a native of Kentucky, ardently advocated the repeal of the old law. A member of the House who had come from Connecticut was active on the opposite side. He urged the retention of whipping as a punishment, and asserted as a strong point in favor of his contention that he had noticed, while living in Connecticut, that whenever a man was whipped, in execution of the sentence of a court of justice, he immediately left the State and did not return.

Corwin promptly retorted that he knew many people had come to Ohio from Connecticut, but he had never before known the reason for their coming!—[Cleveland Leader.

Early Mention of Petroleum.

A writer in giving statistics of coal oil says it is not yet half a century since it was discovered by Col. Drake on the waters of Oil Creek, near Titusville, Pa. But this was not the first discovery. On the map of Lewis Evans, 1755, to be found in Pownall's Topographical Description of North America, London, 1775, in this immediate locality will be found the word petroleum, indicating plainly that a full century before it was noticed by Capt. Drake its presence had been reported by the pioneer explorer. Upon the same map will also be found similar note of pottery clays at the identical spot where, lower down the Ohio, are the Liverpool pottery works, the largest in the West. The original pioneer was a keen observer, and very little worthy of note escaped his observation.—[Louisville (Ky.) Courier-Journal.

And No Wonder.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

CASINO. Messrs. Wyatt and Morosco reopened the Casino Theater Sunday afternoon with an excellent popular-priced production of light opera. The company numbers nearly forty people, and is made from the nucleus of the Olympia Opera Company, which played an engagement at the Mason last summer. The opening bill, "Said Pasha," was capably presented to an audience that filled the house.

Edward F. Semans, Carrick Major, Carl Haydn, Lottie Kendall, Eleanor Jenkins and John E. Young are the ones whom theater-goers will doubtless remember. They are all back, and are displaying their talents as before, apparently without diminution and in some cases with marked addition.

Distinctly the hit of the piece is made by Comedian Young, in his ridiculous impersonation of "Hadad," a Yankee adventurer. Young is a genuine funny man, whose humor partakes of wit as well as horseplay. Six uproarous curtain calls at the opening testified to the contagion of his merriment.

Miss Bernice Holmes, contralto, who last appeared here in the oratorio, "Arminius," has been added to the Casino company. She is to be seen this week as "Balah Sojah," an East Indian princess. Her make-up is a triumph, and if her voice were only equal to her appearance she would be the theatric hit of the town.

Speaking of voices, the best in the Casino aggregation is the resonant organ of Carrick Major, a towering baritone, whose ringing tones swell out around the edges of the strongest choral fortissimo. Carl Haydn, the tenor, is a much better tenor than any possessed by a light opera company appearing in any local theater during the past winter. His notes are at times rather harsh, but he has no failure as to pitch, and his voice has sufficient strength for its demands. Managerial rumor has it that Anna Held desires Haydn for her production of "Mam'selle Napoleon." Robert G. Pitkin has an excellent throat as well, whose vocal effects are only surpassed by Major's.

Miss Kendall, petite and dainty in all her work, is a charming poubrette. Her rippling comedy and pretty dancing make up for lack of vocal qualifications.

Altogether, it is probably true that no better musical aggregation at the money asked has played in Los Angeles during the memory of today's amusement seekers. There are faults and a few weaknesses, but the Olympia company does not pretend to rival the Bostonians, and only aspires to make a little home for itself at the Casino Theater.

The little Spring-street playhouse is conducted under the business management of William T. Wyatt, son of H. C. Wyatt.

BURBANK. Guy Standing, playing in George L. Baker's production of "The Christian" at the Burbank theater this week, is doubtless the best John Storm the Burbank footlights have ever shone upon. Standing has no higher intellectual interpretation of Storm's character than has James Neill, but the last named actor does not possess the magnetism and reserve force of the Baker leading man, and consequently does not "bring" his audience as completely to him in the stronger scenes. Standing's petted little mustache—which he has been coaxing for eight years—was ruefully shaved off Sunday morning that he might better look the ascetic. You can't bring a Hamlet from a handsome and well-fed romantic actor in a day, and consequently the melancholy appearance of Caine's religious zealot is rather lacking in Standing's robust personality. In the third act's climax, though worked up with much power, Standing and Miss Warren unfortunately failed of recognition at the first performance. The audience tardily "came to" a few minutes later, however.

As Glory Quayle, Rebecca Warren is satisfactory, although not by any means of surpassing excellence. She makes of Glory a nervous little creature, a woman of small qualifications, lacking in spiritual strength, and whom one finds it strange to see as the dominant factor in a powerful play. Miss Warren's faults all seem to be the faults of too earnest endeavor, and did she not try so anxiously to be "just right," her conception of the Manx girl would doubtless have far more of her requisite dash and abandon.

William Bernard has difficulties of his own in an exchange of parts little known to the audience. Bernard has for eight productions played the role of Horatio Drake—played it with Morgan, in fact—and in this presentation is compelled to impersonate a character of exactly the opposite nature, Lord Robert Ure. He is not as fine in Ure's villainous mentality, but he renders the thankless lines with a strength equaled only in Standing's interpretation. A dainty little piece of fetching comedy is the cockney maid, enacted with unimpeachable accent and bubbling mirth by Mr. Bernard's wife.

The remainder of the company fill in the cast with very acceptable grace. Not to be slighted is the wholesome Mrs. Callender of Mina Crollus Gleason, nor Cariye Moore's conception of the venerable Father Lamplough.

"The Christian" as presented at the Burbank this week is a legitimate dramatic offering worth seeing.

ORPHEUM. Seldom has there been a more varied and finished set of turns presented within these confines than this week's Orpheum bill, and the rounds of applause showed that the crowded house appreciated them. Show bills oft speak of "top liners," etc., but there is a "liner" in the true sense of the word on this week's bill who presents an extremely interesting turn. Hal Merritt's "Poster Girl" monologue is as unique as it is diversified and the only regret is that he does not use his crayon more extensively.

It is indeed refreshing to have one's eyes greeted by two fresh, comely young misses like the Sisters Gasch, after having to gaze on some of the personages who have been doing acrobatic stunts on the stage in the past few weeks. There is a certain grace and ease about their work which can only come with youth and good spirits, and their turn is really a marvel from start to finish.

Then there's Hal Davis & Company—and the word company means a good deal, for it includes charming Ines Macauley, who present "Pals," one of Jim Corbett's favorites, in an extremely acceptable manner. And as if this were not enough of new things, Bradnow and Wiley, colored comedians, make their initial bow to the Los Angeles public, presenting some novelties in the singing and dancing line.

For the holdovers' offering Wilfred Clarke and his company have a skit that's amusing and calculated to drive away dull care, and La Petite Adelaide's nimble feet are still tripping to the rythm of popular airs. Some new films on the biograph are shown, and last, though not least, Lew Sully excites some risibilities almost to the limit.

GRAND OPERAHOUSE. The first performance of "Shamus O'Brien" was a joke.

One of the leading characters—enacted by Harry McAuliffe—failed to materialize at the time for the curtain to be rung up, and Fred Herne, who is to play in the stock company beginning its engagement next week, was selected to read his lines from a book. The gods were then presented with the thrilling spectacle of an active character rushing about the stage, manuscript in hand, and pausing in the midst of tremendous sentences to decipher an unintelligible phrase in the prosaic print before him.

By and by McAuliffe came back, when it was discovered that a late train in from Pasadena had been the cause of all his misfortune.

"Shamus O'Brien" is enacted by the same company which has been at the Grand during the week just past. It is a lively melodrama of Irish factional fights and factional loves, and is a certain winner with the lovers of moving episode as a constant attendant of theatric action.

There is an execution scene at the last, where the hero is, of course, saved just in time by the arrival of the heroine with the traditional pardon. This part is carried out with proper zest and enthusiasm, and demonstrates to a good extent the abilities of Laurence Grattan, Stanley Johns and others of the company.

BROADWAY. The feature this week at the Broadway is the Bennington duo, a pair who carry their own scenery, illuminated during the progress of their sketch. It shows a pretty mountain view, with a castle in the foreground, and a real fountain.

Jack Symonds has again been chosen as a leader of Broadway amusement, and he seems to fill the bill with the patrons. A new act is that of Dale and Mack, in a very ordinary sketch, with dancing that is really clever. Daisy Vernon—ever-popular card—is again on the bill with new songs and costumes. Don Carlos Chenoweth renders cornet solos, Ralph Rish sings "Southern Skies," and the program closes with new motion pictures.

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"War has its humorous side," says Gen. Nelson A. Miles, "though its humor is always grim.

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"'Well, goodby, boys. If I'm killed when the dogs make their feast, "We'll all meet at the butcher's."'—[Pittsburgh Press.

Alonzo Bristow of Bedford, Ind., reported to the Chicago police the theft of $10,700, which he received from the sale of eighty-three horses at the Union Stock Yards. His entire money was in a small satchel and when the thief slashed the side of the vehicle with a knife, thereby enabling him to insert his hand and purloin the packages of greenbacks.

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...INERALS, MINES AND METALLURGY.

...LAR QUERIES AND EX... ...PERT ANSWERS.

...CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.] ...(Ariz.) May 10, 1904.—[To ...of The Times:] Once in a ...assaying on my own ac... ...that of my friends. My ...: What I have learned ...tical and gained by hard ...learns by confessing his ...and I respectfully ask you ...questions, and trust that ...me with replies in the ...paper.

...give me what is known ...of hardness," so that I ...other minerals with it. ...a "scale of fusibility" ...meant thereby. ...you give, me names of a ...that would be useful to me ...and oblige,

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A correspondent writing from San Diego, asking (1) what is carnotite? (2) Does it differ from carnallite? (3) Where can I locate some claims of carnolite? Is answered as follows:

(1.) Carnotite occurs as a crystalline yellow powder mixed intimately with quartzose sand, and after being separated from the silicon dioxide, is approximately composed of vanadium oxide, 20.12; uranium oxide, 63.54; potassium, 10.37, with water, about 6 per cent.

(2.) Decidedly so, carnallite is a chloride of magnesia and potash.

(3.) In the Unaweep country, near Montrose, Colo. In the La Sal Mountains, Colorado and Utah; near Moab, Utah, along line of Denver and Rio Grande Railroad, and elsewhere.

REDDING, May 12, 1904.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Kindly give me a wet method, by which I can save 75 per cent. gold values, in oxide ore, something practical that could be used at camp. Respectfully yours,

E. B. G.

Answer: Powder your oxide ore fine. Place an ounce of the finely-powdered ore into a bottle, add water until in volume you have as much water as ore. Now add about 10 per cent. (of the volume of water and ore) of chemically-pure hydrochloric acid. Next add, say a drachma (one-eighth of an ounce) of mercury. Shake occasionally for a few hours, then let the supernatent liquid settle; next pour it off, wash out the mercury. Put the mercury on a little pan (make the latter out of a piece of stove pipe; burnishing it before placing mercury in it,) set the pan and mercury on your camp stove, in a cool place, at first allowing the attached liquid to evaporate slowly, then push pan to a hot lid of the stove; in half an hour or so the gold with silver impurity will be found in the pan.

Note—Hydrochloric acid does not injure mercury.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Arrangements in Embryo Provide for Exercises at Cemeteries and Big Meeting.

Veterans, Sons of Veterans and patriotic women are planning for the proper celebration of Memorial Day. The arrangments are as yet in embryo, but those in charge are working on a programme to include services at the cemeteries in the forenoon and a big public gathering in the afternoon.

The Sons of Veterans are arranging to furnish two firing squads for service in the morning at the cemeteries.

A meeting for the furtherance of plans is to be held Wednesday evening in the Mayor's office.

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"Indeed, I began to feel I had all the troubles that human flesh could suffer, but when a friend advised me to leave off coffee I felt as if he had insulted me. I could not bear the idea, it had such a hold on me, and I refused to believe it the cause.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	82	48	60	New York ..	62	46	54
Washington .	64	44	54	Buffalo	66	40	53
Pittsburgh .	50	44	47	Cincinnati ..	58	42	50
Chicago	44	38	41	St. Paul	68	36	52
St. Louis ...	76	54	65	Kansas City.	76	54	65
Los Angeles.	72	57	64	Jacksonville	86	69	78

*The maximum is for May 15; the minimum for May 16. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, May 16.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.85; at 5 p.m., 29.85. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 57 deg. and 66 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 94 per cent.; 5 p.m., 63 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., southeast, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 10 miles. Maximum temperature, 72 deg.; minimum, 57 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions. — Cloudy nights and mornings continue on the southern coast, and fair weather elsewhere on the Pacific Slope. Clear, warm weather prevails in the Southwest. The maximum temperature at Yuma Sunday was 100 deg.; Phoenix, 96 deg., and El Paso, 84 deg. Warm day temperature prevails in the great valleys. The maximum temperature at Fresno was 90 deg., and at Red Bluff 84 deg.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy tonight, with fog; becoming fair by Tuesday noon.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Weather conditions and general forecast. Cloudy weather prevails over the northern portion of the Pacific slope and fair over the southern. Light rain has fallen along the Washington coast. The pressure has fallen generally over the country west of the Rocky Mountains, except a rise along the California coast. The temperature has fallen along the Central California coast, and remained about stationary in other districts. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Tuesday, except cloudy along the northern coast; brisk northwest wind.

Southern California: Fair Tuesday; fresh west wind.

Nevada: Fair Tuesday.

San Francisco and vicinity, Sacramento and vicinity, and Fresno and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; brisk northwest wind.

Arizona: Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Liners.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

SUNNY SIDE—
Remember, in taking advantage of these trips you are in no way obliged to buy. We simply desire to show you the property and allow your own good judgment to decide whether you purchase or not.
Many of our choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON.
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"SPEKE," BRITISH SHIP, CAPT. STOTT, from Antwerp.
Neither captain nor undersigned will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew.
WHEELER BROS., Agents.

SPECIAL NOTICE—
Notice—The free graphophone offer The Times is making to its subscribers. Call at GRAPHOPHONE DEPT., First-st. entrance, Times Bldg. 17

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpet cleaning, upholstering and repairing. We buy and sell. 344 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 211; Home 215.

SKILLED CRAFTSMEN WILL REPOLISH your old furniture like new. CALIFORNIA FURNITURE POLISHING CO., 109 W. Seventh, between Main and Spring.

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TUBERCULAR PATIENTS CAN RECEIVE every care and attention at reasonable rates at 1201 E. HOPE ST. 'Phone West 49; Home 3125.

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A LADY TO TRY OUR 25c SHAMPOOS; the best in the city, only 25c. HILL-ST. TOILET PARLORS, 454 S. Hill st.

BORDERS SAME PRICE AS PAPER; BEST paint, $1.50 gallon. WALTER, 427 S. Spring.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 2941; James 6971. MRS. HEATH.

ROSE PURITY WATER, 5 GALLONS 50c. 'PHONE EAST 45; HOME 2071.

SOCIETY MEETINGS—

VEDANTA SOCIETY LECTURER, CAMERA Club Hall, 321 S. Hill. The Swami Trigunatita will lecture Friday, May 20, 7:45 p.m.; subject: "Science of Breathing or Hathayoga." Seats free. Every one welcome. 20

PSYCHIC CLUB, CAMERA HALL, 321 S. Hill st., lecture and psychic phenomena by Dr. and Mrs. Cobb at 7:45; also meeting Friday 2:30. Seats free.

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—REAL ESTATE ADVERTISERS and others: Hereafter all real estate and other classified want advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday nights in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

PERSONAL — LADIES! CHICHESTER'S English Pennyroyal Pills are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. stamps for particulars. "Relief for Ladies" in letter by return mail. Ask your druggist. CHICHESTER CHEMICAL CO., Phila., Pa.

PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. SUNSET PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL—MRS. MASON, THE NOTED London palmist, is at 322 S. Spring st. Readings are conscientious and scientific, and give the precise information you desire. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL — YOU WILL LEARN SOMEthing to your advantage if you will call at GRAPHOPHONE DEPT., TIMES BLDG. (First-st. entrance.) 17

PERSONAL — A LADY TO TRY OUR 25c shampoos; the best in the city, only 25c. HILL-ST. TOILET PARLORS, 454 S. Hill st. 17

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PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 321½ S. SPRING, palming, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

WANTED— Help, Male.

WANTED—JAPANESE
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Honest Cleaning Department.
'Phone Home 1825. Main 1714.
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A strictly first-class, reliable agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.
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Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast.
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Roustabout teamster, $40 etc.; planing mill men, city; millwright, $3.50 etc.; milk wagon driver, $25 etc.; miners, water tunnel, $2.50; solicitor for produce house, $40 month; book-keeper and stenographer, $60 month; man, home place, $20 etc.; young men, learn mining, $1.75 etc.; man and wife, orchard, cook, $40 etc.; night watchman, $10.50 week; clothes presser, $15 week; orange packers, $25 per box; woodchoppers, $2.50 per cord; strip setter, cement gang, $3.50; herd boy, $20 etc.; gardener, home place, $25 etc.; gas fitter, experienced in setting meters, $2.50; horseshoer, country, $3; boy for ranch, $17 etc.; slag brick molder, $2.50; borax miner, 22 etc.; granite driller, $2.75; 20 ranch hands, $30 etc.; 25 men for haying, $1.25 etc.; 10 ranch teamsters, $1.25 etc.; wagon wood worker, $3; laborers, factory, $2; 5 miners, $3; milkers, $25 etc.

HOTEL AND REST. DEPT.
Second cook, beach, $75 etc.; man and wife, mining camp, cooks, $100 etc.; night cook, $30 etc.; short order cook, $12 etc.; ranch cook, $35 etc.; coffee maker, $30 etc.; third cook, $40 etc.; restaurant cook, beach, $10 and room; hotel waiter, A. T., $30 etc.; night clerk, $30 etc., but boy, $25 etc.; baker's helper, $10 week; pantryman, $5 etc.; dishwasher, $7 and $8 and $25 month.

HOUSEHOLD DEPT.
Family cook, $30 etc.; 25 housegirls, city and country, $25 and $30 etc.; girls to assist, $15 and $20 etc.
WOMEN'S HOTEL AND REST. DEPT.
Cook for country club, $50 etc.; cook for country hotel, $40 etc.; vegetable woman, city, $20 etc.; delicacy cook, $12 week; no Sunday work; restaurant cook, beach, $35 etc.; 2 waitresses, Arizona, $25 etc.; 6 cafe waitresses, city, $6 and $7 week; hotel waitress, city, $25 etc.; colored dishwasher, country, $25 etc.; starch ironer, hand laundry, $1.50 per day.
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.
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WANTED—THE NATIONAL CORRESPONdence Institute, Washington, D. C., can prepare you for the following civil-service examinations for life positions: Mail service, stenography and typewriting, book-keeping, internal revenue, custom service, government printing, engineering, mint and assaying, etc. We also teach more than 270 courses in business, journalism, languages, etc. For full information, call or address Los Angeles office, NAT. COR. INST., 204½ S. Broadway, office 21. 23

WANTED—
SUNNY SIDE.
EMPLOYEES, buy 2½ acres at SUNNY SIDE on easy terms and be your own employer.
Many of our most choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON.
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WANTED—BARBER TRADE TAUGHT BY our new method, which enables student to earn wages while learning. Lowest rate on the Coast. Largest, oldest-established and best-equipped college on this Coast. Constant practice under qualified barbers as instructors, and steady position at full barber's wages when competent guaranteed. For full particulars, call or address AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., Incorporated, 413 N. Main.

WANTED—MEN, MOLER'S BARBER COLlege will open at 241 E. First st., within a few days; first 10 students taken at half price; no similar institution in Los Angeles; combination case, leather upholstered chair, best expert instructors, diplomas given; establishments in all principal cities; beware of cheap imitators, with borrowed furniture, little experience and no capital. Call or write for particulars. 23

WANTED—FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' LABOR BUREAU,
114 E. First. 'Phones 2341. James 6541.
Experienced man for orange orchard.
Ranch hands, $1.25 day.
Ranch hands, $30 month.
Laborers for out of city.
All year's work, $2 day.
Concrete men, $2.50. Call early.
Laborers, city, $1.25 and board. 17

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN the barber trade in the only college that gives its students employment in its own shops at regular barbers' wages; you will be under the most competent instructor in the United States; before entering any other college investigate us. Call or address WESTERN COLLEGE OF BARBERS (Incorporated.) 1164½ San Pedro st., Los Angeles, Cal.

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FARMERS' AND DOMESTIC
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Most reliable and complete labor bureau in the city. All kinds of help promptly furnished on short notice. 327 DUCOMMUN ST.

WANTED—
JAPANESE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
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Cooks, waiters, porters and all kinds of help furnished.
TEL. HOME 4680. MAIN 2536.

WANTED—
JAPAN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
543 S. OLIVE ST.
MAIN 1077. HOME 1718.
We furnish Japanese and Chinese help. The oldest and largest agency in the city.

WANTED—LECTURER, $30; REPRESENtative floor walker, dress goods salesman; clothing; groceries; photographer; collector; mechanics, book-keeper; stenographer,; teamster.
EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 19

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
202 W. Fifth st., near Central Park. All kinds help furnished promptly; cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners. TEL. MAIN 2704; HOME 5852.

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
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All kinds help furnished promptly.
TEL. MAIN 2704. HOME 5852.
17 Most reliable agency in city.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CLERKS AND office men for first-class business firms; only men seeking positions of permanent character wanted; intelligent, bright young men with good qualifications should register at once. 215 COPP BLDG.

WANTED — AN ABLE CITY SALESMAN, age about 40; must be able to earn $25 per week; one with horse and rig preferred; steady job. Apply at once, between 9-10 and 1-2, 523 NEW HIGH ST. 17

WANTED—GOOD GROCERY SOLICITOR (single man) for large firm in Arizona; must have knowledge of groceries and furnish A1 references; salary $75 and room. Apply 525 BYRNE BLOCK. 17

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, GRADuate, stenographer and office assistant for large concern in Arizona; good opportunity for a good boy; salary $30 and room. Apply 525 BYRNE BLK. 17

WANTED — MAN WITH $300 FOR GOODpaying legitimate office business; no bookkeeping; this is clean, easy position and good money-maker. See WECKERLY, 630½ S. Broadway, room 1. 17

WANTED—RANCH HAND FOR IMPERIAL, $40 and board; meet boss at 10 a.m.; shovelers and teamsters for beach, $2 day. WESTERN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 103 N. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—MAN TO DRIVE LAUNDRY wagon for the best steam laundry in city; must have $250. Call at 638½ S. BROADWAY, room 1. Mr. Greene. 17

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED PIANO player to accompany violinist at mountain summer resort. Call 814 GOLDEN AVE. 'Phone Black 6977 Sunset. 17

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO CAN OPERate Underwood typewriter, for position as billing clerk; salary $60; good future. Apply 525 BYRNE BLOCK. 17

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN OVER 17 years, competent to milk and deliver for small dairy. Apply at once to 1453 CONSTANCE ST. 18

WANTED — SOLICITORS; GOOD, QUICK seller; no competition; easy money. Call 9 o'clock today, 320 COPP BLDG., 218 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—GOOD STENOGRAPHER AND office assistant, Arizona, salary $75; large firm, good future. Apply 525 BYRNE BLK. 17

WANTED—4 COLORED MEN AT $1.50 PER day; colored woman at $1.50 a day; colored cook at $30 and up. 423 CENTRAL AVE. 17

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COAT PRESSER; steady work; good wages. Apply FLETCHER TAILORING CO., 345 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO COLLECT and assist around office; small salary to commence. Apply 450 S. SPRING ST. 17

WANTED — A MARKER AND DISTRIButor; only first-class. Apply CALIFORNIA LAUNDRY, 237 E. First. 18

WANTED — A BOY TO WORK IN DR. WHITTLESEY'S VETERINARY HOSPITAL, 714 E. Seventh st. 17

WANTED—PAINTERS TO PIQURE LABOR on new flats; Apply job, FREMONT AVE., between First and Second. 17

WANTED—STRONG BOY WITH WHEEL. NEW YORK CLEANING AND PRESSING CLUB, 413 S. Spring st. 17

WANTED—STARCH IRONERS, TYLER ironer, washer and starcher. 36 W. COLORADO ST., Pasadena. 19

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS SODA DISpenser. Apply at once, MERRIAM'S, 127 S. Spring st. 17

WANTED—NON-UNION WAITERS AT CITY Bakery, Fresno. Address KOHLER & PICKFORD.

WANTED — COMPOSITOR FOR A FEW days. Apply this morning, 123 S. LOS ANGELES. 17

WANTED — 2-MEAL MEN; ALSO DISHwasher and pantry man. 140 S. BROADWAY. 18

WANTED — 6 MEN AND BOYS TO DIStribute circulars, $2 per day. Call 1300 W. 16TH. 17

WANTED—GOOD NON-UNION HARDWOOD finishers, $3.50 per day. Call 330 BYRNE. 18

WANTED—MEN AND LADIES TO LEARN the barber trade, free, 122 E. SECOND. 17

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR LIGHT work. Call 229 Los Angeles st., RICE. 17

WANTED—GOOD FRESHER TO WORK ON coats. 254 S. BROADWAY, room 28. 18

WANTED—CARPENTER AT 1710 S. FLOWER. Will pay $3.50 per day. 18

WANTED—STRONG BOY, WITH WHEEL. Apply 349 S. BROADWAY. 17

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, A TAILOR AT 2124 DOWNEY AVE. 19

WANTED—A BOOTBLACK. APPLY 639½ S. MAIN. 19

WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED—THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 455 S. BROADWAY.
'PHONES M. 1260. HOME 5452.
Pantry woman, hotel, city, $25, room and board; cook and downstairs work, city, $30; family cook, city, $30; girl, general housework, 3 in family, $20; cook and nursegirl, Fullerton, $25 and $20; general housework, same room, $20; another, Corona, $20; hairdresser, $30; ten general housework places, $20; cashier, experienced chocolate dipper, $9 per week; girl for candy factory, $6; chambermaid, $20.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS,
Female Department, Ramona Block,
Spring and Third sts., Rooms 23-25.
Women for general housework, $20 to $25; first-class chambermaid, $30; R. & B.; cook for boarding-house, $30; girls to assist in light housework, $15; waitress, out of town, $25, R. & B.; first-class waitress for restaurant, $7; cook at Perris, fare paid, $25; good home; nursegirl, $20; shakers for laundry, $1; first-class cook for Inglewood, $25; first-class cook to manage restaurant, $25 to $30. 17

WANTED — A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; no washing; two in family; wages $20; must give good references. HOME 'PHONE 5296. 17

WANTED—SECOND GIRL, BEACH, SMALL family, employer here, $25; cook, small restaurant, $12; another, $30; cook, family, $30; colored cook, family, $30; housegirl, Pasadena, $25; 2 housegirls, families of 2 city, $20; housegirl, country, employer here, $20; chambermaid, part day, $2 week and room; middle-aged woman, housework, mountain place, country, $25; many other orders; leandress, two days steady, $1.50 day. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's Office, 121½ S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—THE HELPMATE,
120 N. MAIN ST.
Home 2027—'Phones—Main 3062.
'PHONE YOUR WANTS.
Cook for small place, country, $20 and fare; housegirl, $2, country; 4 girls, city, $15 to $25; girls to assist, $12 up; waitresses, $7 to $30; dishwashers, $7; chambermaid, $20; cook, select place, city, $35; 2 girls to wrap candy, experienced preferred; 3 experienced chocolate dippers. 17

WANTED—OFFICE GIRL, $20; 2 CHAMbermaids, $20 and found; girl, small family, $20 and found; 2 waitresses, $5; colored woman, small family, $20 and found; pantry girl, $7; cook, small place, $30; have lots of good places for our patrons. 17
MARK'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 125 East Second. Both 'Phones 426. Experienced cashier, candy factory, $2; girl to wrap, laundry, $4. 17

WANTED—INSTITUTION COOK, $30; FAMily cook, city, $35; cooking and downstairs work, $30; housegirl for 2, $20; housegirl in suburbs, $30; errand girl, $3; housegirl for 3, $30; second girl, city, $25; parlor maid, city, $25; housegirl, 2 in family, $25; housegirl, very small family, $25; colored woman for upstairs work and laundry; long list to select from. MRS. HAWLEY and MISS FORGRAVE, 254 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—HELP.
JAPANESE
MIKADO EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.
West 879. Home 2752.
All kinds of most responsible help furnished.
House Cleaning Department.
808 S. BROADWAY.
Camp cook, waiter, ranch contract. 18

WANTED—TYPEWRITER; CLERK; STENologer and operators; housekeeper, saleslady; patterns, stationery; notions; dressmaker; waitresses; housework; chambermaid. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ South Main.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG LADY FOR office assistant, must be quick, accurate, good writer and desirous of steady position in city, experience necessary, $30 month. 215 COPP BLDG. 17

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESLADY for fancy dry goods, country store, $20 month at start; can advance to $25 by ability alone; permanent situation. Apply 215 COPP BLDG. 17

WANTED—LADIES' TAILOR FROM EAST, designer and cutter, wants position, or to work with a dressmaker; best of references. Address W, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL OR LADY WHO is willing to help with housework for a good home and small compensation. Call Tuesday, 1171 W. 20TH ST. 17

WANTED—A GIRL TO HELP
on fine coats.
HOLMES BROS., Tailors,
134½ S. Spring st. 17

WANTED—TO PURCHASE NICE, LIGHT set double harness; must be nearly new and first-class; prefer silver mounted. Address X, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; no laundry; no baking; family of adults; German preferred. Apply at once, forenoons, 642 W. 23D. 17

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; small family; wages $25 per month. Apply 202 TRUST BLDG., or 'Phone Home 724 or Red 6831.

WANTED — SOLICITORS; GOOD, QUICK seller; no competition; easy money. Call 9 o'clock today, 320 COPP BLDG., 218 S. Broadway.

WANTED—A LADY CAPABLE OF CARING for a child and attending to some correspondence. Address A. B., TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — SEVEN LADY BARBERS; guaranteed salary; in the finest ladies' barber shop in the city. Call at 115 E. SECOND ST.

WANTED — OFFICE ASSISTANT; TYPEwriting and general office work. References. ROSENTHAL & SALEMAN, 228 E. Fourth street.

WANTED — A RELIABLE GIRL TO DO general housework; must be good cook; answer from 9 to 1 o'clock. 727 W. 28TH ST. 17

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST young couple with baby 2 years old and housework; wages $15. Apply 687 W. PICO.

WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED — TEACHERS FOR PUBLIC schools to prepare for county examination. BOYNTON NORMAL, 525 Stimson Blo'k.

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED LADY SOliciters on Babbitt's soap. Call at R. L. CRAIG & CO., between 8:30 and 9 o'clock.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED DRESSmaker, shop work. Call at room 107, Knox Bldg., 314 W. Fourth. MRS. DE PREZ. 17

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125½ S. Fourth st., for women only. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, family three; no washing; $25. 452½ S. BROADWAY, room 16. 17

WANTED — EXPERIENCED FINISHER; must be good buttonhole maker, on coats. 254 S. BROADWAY, room 132. 17

WANTED—A GOOD COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework; small family. Call mornings 687 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED—WOMAN COMPOSITOR; STEADY employment. Address, stating qualifications, X, box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED — 3 FIRST-CLASS LADIES' clothes ironers. MAIN HAND LAUNDRY, 2044 S. Main. 17

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and cooking. Call 663½ S. ALVARADO. 17

WANTED—LADIES TO LEARN BARBER trade. MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, 211 E. First. 22

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN housework. Call 445 E. 29TH, or 'Phone White 4739. 18

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED CHAMBERmaid. HOTEL CLARENDON, 406 S. Hill. 18

WANTED—NURSE GIRL TO ASSIST IN care of baby. 1051 S. GRAND AVE. 17

WANTED—AT 519 S. SPRING, CHAMBERmaid; must come well recommended. 19

WANTED — A GIRL. HILL ST. TOILET PARLOR, 454 S. Hill st. 19

WANTED—WAITRESSES. INQUIRE D. H. HART, Natick House. 19

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—COOK FOR PRIVATE FAMILY, woman or man. Apply ROOM 1, Fraternal Bldg., 447 S. Main. 17

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HELP WANTED on custom coats. 106 W. THIRD ST. 18

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—BY A CHRISTIAN GENTLEman, after 25 years' unsuccessful search for unselfish employees among the hundreds he has employed, desires to practically demonstrate himself an unselfish employee in the care of the large property or business interests in Southern California. Address EMPLOYEE, X, box 49, TIMES OFFICE. 17

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A man of long experience in banking and building and loan associations is desirous of securing a family location to remove to California and is open for an engagement in above lines. Correspondence solicited; highest-class references. GEO. L. EPPS, 412 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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WANTED—DRUGS; GRADUATE OF PHILadelphia College of Pharmacy, thoroughly experienced, desires first-class position. For further particulars address C. H. K., 710 UNION ST., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MARRIED MAN aged 29; first-class references. Address X, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WISHES TO learn coat and pants pressing. Address M, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — SITUATION AS WATCH REpairer by competent man. Address X, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED—GARDENER, 14 YEARS' EXperience; wants job. Address X, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE BOY WISHES situation as school boy. KIMI, 112 Ross st. 17

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED — GOVERNESS DESIRES MORE pupils at their residences; English branches, languages, music; holds California certificate; best references; during summer and vacation will visit beaches if desired. Apply H, box 671, CENTRAL P.O. 17

WANTED—THREE TEACHERS TO TRAVEL during vacation; salary $21 per week and expenses; salary paid weekly and expenses advanced. Address, with stamp, J. A. ALEXANDER, Los Angeles, Cal. 17

WANTED — SITUATION BY LADY AS housekeeper for gentleman with nice home with a child not very small; no washing; wages $25. Apply 217 W. SIXTH ST., room 1. No triflers. 17

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKING in families by dressmaker from the East; can give reference. Call DRESSMAKER, Home 6285. 18

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WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED German cook in first-class boarding-house. 607 S. MAIN ST. 17

WANTED—POSITION BY COMPETENT lady stenographer. Call SUNSET 'PHONE RED 2853. 22

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG WOMAN nurse maid; city references, $25. PHONE 4532. 17

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY WASHING and cleaning. PHONE PARK 291. 17

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WANTED — SITUATION BY MAN AND wife, hotel or boarding-house, city or country; kitchen, pantry, dining-room, or chamber work; experienced; references. Address X, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 17

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WANTED—
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STORES, LODGING-HOUSES,
FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED.
Energetic Efforts Made to Secure Tenants.
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123 W. THIRD ST.,
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M. M'KEEVER,
With Leonard Merrill.
17 417 Douglas Bldg.

WANTED—3 YEARS' LEASE ON 40-ROOM apartment-house, unfurnished.
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WANTED—ROOMING-HOUSE OF ABOUT 12 rooms, furnished in housekeeping suites; rent not to exceed $4 per room; close in; modern; lease. Address X, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS PIECE OF property, north of Washington street, value not over $12,000; income property preferred; we have a client who has a first-class ranch property at Uplands (North Ontario,) worth $5000 cash. To this he will add cash to an amount not to exceed $7000. Desirable property only considered. BRENNECKE-FRY INVESTMENT SYNDICATE (LTD.,) Members L. A. Realty Board. Removed to Suite 204, 12-story Realty Bldg.

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WANTED—HAVE CUSTOMER FOR EIGHTroom, strictly modern residence, between First and Adams, Main and Vermont ave., east or south front; driveway, barn, corner preferred; lot 80x150; grates or furnaces and over $4500; don't answer unless you can fulfill above requirements. Address X, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—WE HAVE SEVERAL CLIENTS with cash who want to buy homes in the city and suburbs; also who want to buy lots; several who want to buy homes in the southwest. Full particulars must accompany each reply or no attention can be given them. WRIGHT & CO., 107 S. Broadway.

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C. W. CONWAY,
Member L. A. Realty Board. 204-5 Bradbury Bldg.

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WANTED — AT BURBANK, TOLUCA OR Fernando, about 40 acres land, suitable for alfalfa; my client wants to trade in some Pasadena income property. L. M. PRATT, 408 Laughlin Bldg. 17

WANTED—ON W. NINTH, OR PICO, OR near by, A CORNER, or good inside lot, might do if surroundings are right; will pay spot cash. O. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 17

WANTED—ACREAGE IN OR NEAR CITY limits to subdivide; must have good transportation facilities and the right price. EMIL FIRTH, 415 and 417 Laughlin Bldg.

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WANTED—TO PURCHASE COTTAGE OF 5 or 6 rooms, modern, on or near Pacific Electric car line in city. C. A. SUMNER & CO., 224 Trust Bldg. 17

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, GOOD COTtage; also good lots in Burnt Heights. A. M. MILLER, 204½ S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—ABOUT A $2000 RANCH; HAVE city income property to match it. WHEELER, 116 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED— To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

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TO LET — FOR ONE YEAR, ELEGANTLY furnished house of eight rooms; hardwood floors, Turkish rugs and draperies, piano, gas and steel range, large front and back yard, with barn; no objection to children. Call Monday, 1162 W. 19TH ST., or Tel. 2421. 17

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TO LET—FURNISHED COTTAGE, 5 ROOMS, modern and very desirable; rent cheap to the right party; also 5-room furnished flat, at a low rental. M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO., 229½ S. Spring st. 19

TO LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, modern 8-room house, 1½ story barn, 2 shed rooms, lawn, fruit, flowers, and garden, 2 cows, chickens and pigeons. 'PHONE WHITE 3725. 18

TO LET—RECENTLY AND COMPLETELY furnished cottage with six rooms and bath, at 425 W. 23d st.; gas range, porcelain bath, and electric lights. Apply 417 W. 23D ST.

TO LET—6-ROOM HOUSE, WESTLAKE section, completely furnished, east front, very sunny and healthy. 'Phone 580 or call 501 GRANT BLDG.

TO LET—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED, TWO-story, 9-room house, W. Adams district; references required. O. F. SCHERER, 122 S. Broadway. 17

TO LET—NEW, MODERN 6-ROOM FURnished cottage, electric light, gas range, instantaneous heater and a lovely home. 1053 E. 29TH ST. 19

TO LET—FURNISHED 8-ROOM MODERN house, piano, gas, electricity, barn, low rent to right parties, fine location. 1439 TORRENCE ST. 18

TO LET — FURNISHED, FINE COTTAGE, fine location; rent only $25; W. Adams and Traction car. 1209 W. 27TH, cor. Thornton. 17

TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISHED, newly papered, gas and bath, nicely located. Call 141 W. 22ND ST. 17

TO LET — 3-ROOM NEWLY FURNISHED house, bath and all modern improvements. 119 S. FLOWER. 19

TO LET—2 VERY DESIRABLE, 7 AND 8-room houses, furnished or unfurnished. Call 1090 E. 23D. 18

TO LET—LOVELY 5-ROOM COTTAGE, COMpletely furnished, $25. 1253 W. 36TH ST. Traction car.

TO LET—HOUSE, 6 ROOMS, FURNISHED, close in, best part city; $25. 1042 INGRAHAM ST. 18

TO LET—2-ROOM FURNISHED COTTAGE, $25. 1824 VARGAS ST. 'Phone White 4746. 20

TO LET—$25; FURNISHED 6-ROOM COTtage; electricity, gas. 1247 W. SECOND. 17

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FIRST-CLASS MODERN FRONT STORES FOR RENT.
In new building about to be erected on MAIN STREET.
Between Fifth and Sixth streets.
Size of stores each 20x85, or larger, to suit tenant.
For full particulars See
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For automobile livery or other similar occupancy.
Size approximately 60x110 feet.
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Between Fifth and Sixth street.
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TO LET—LODGING-HOUSE, 11 ROOMS, 250 S. Hooker Hill ave. 17

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TO LET — $20; FINE DOUBLE FRONT store, 1122 E. Seventh, corner Seventh and Kohler sts. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 18

TO LET — LONG-ESTABLISHED DENTAL office; part of furniture for sale; your own price. Address O, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 21

TO LET—WE OFFER GENERAL STORage, 150-250 S. Los Angeles st. JOHN WIGMORE & SONS CO. 18

TO LET—BASEMENT, FINE AND LIGHT. C. NEWITT, 214 W. First.

TO LET—OFFICE ROOM, 312. APPLY room 2, 247 S. BROADWAY. 16

TO LET—DESK ROOM, GROUND FLOOR; free 'phone. 529 S. MAIN. 19

TO LET—STORE 221 W. FIRST ST. ADJOINing Times Office. 17

TO LET—DESK ROOM, 421 BYRNE BLDG. 16

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TO LET—A NEATLY FURNISHED HOUSE on Ocean Front, on beautiful Terminal Island. LEE A. M'CONNELL & CO., 145 South Broadway or 2213 W. 9th. 17

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TO LET — GENTLE HORSE AND TWO-seated surrey, $1.25 per half day, Sunday excepted. 643 S. BROADWAY. 'Phone Black 2171.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

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NEWLY FURNISHED, NEVER OCCUPIED, COMPLETE THROUGHOUT, NEW 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE ON E. ADAMS ST.
ONLY $2900—TERMS TO SUIT YOU.
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FOR SALE—NEW, STRICTLY MODERN 6-room cottage, on wide street and fine neighborhood; best plumbing, coved ceilings, tinted walls, fine mantel and fireplace, white cedar finish, large cemented cellar, large, substantial barn, chicken corral, trees, lawn, etc.; lot 40x140 to alley; No. 1417 E. 12TH ST. Owner on premises. 20

FOR SALE—$1600; THE BIGGEST AND best bargain ever offered; a good, well-built, 5-room cottage on 36th, east of Central ave.; if you want a home cheap, apply at once. We will try and arrange terms, or will take a lot as part payment. BEN WHITE, 308 Bryson Block. 19

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FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD IN 30 DAYS. BY OWNER; PRETTY 5-ROOM HOUSE, 606 CORONADO. SEE INSIDE. CHEAP. EASY TERMS. DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE. G. W. BURTON.

FOR SALE — MODERN COTTAGE, COVE CEILINGS, ELECTRIC FIXTURES AND WINDOW SHADES IN; BRICK MANTEL; LOCATED NEAR VERMONT AVE. AND 21ST ST.; A BARGAIN AT $2600. SHERWOOD & KOYER, 140 S. BROADWAY.

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A modern 6-room house and lot, 51x125 feet, for $2300; it's a bargain.
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FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—BY THE FRATERNAL REAL ESTATE, LOAN AND INVESTMENT CO. (INC.) THE HOME BUILDERS AND HOME SELLERS OF LOS ANGELES:
WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL BARGAINS IN COTTAGES FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING MAY 16, ALL OF WHICH WILL BE FOUND FROM 5 TO 20 PER CENT. BELOW THE REGULAR VALUE:
WHAT YOUR MONEY WILL BUY.
$500—5-room cottage, lot 40x150, in Boyle Heights.
$800—Half cash, 5-room California house, E. 16th st.
$1000—5-room California house, E. 12th st.
$1300—$100 cash, $25 per month; 5-room cottage, E. 16th st.
$1300—One-third cash, balance to suit, 4-room new and modern cottage, 12th st. near Central.
$1200—One-half cash, cor. 15th and Tennessee, 64½ feet on 15th, 98 feet on Tennessee.
$700—One-half cash; lot, south front, 25th near Maple; 30 feet front.
$1100—Lot 46x150 on Trinity, 150 feet north of Adams; fine building site.
$1800—5-room cottage, E. 22nd.
$2100—$500 cash, $30 per month; 5-room, modern cottage, 22nd near Central; large lot.
$2000—New and modern 5-room cottage, Dorabel near Newton; lovely lot; high and dry; fenced; $200 cash, $15 per month.
$2000—$300 cash, $15 per month; new and modern cottage; 15th st. near Long Beach car line.
$2700—Terms, new and modern 5-room cottage; lot 50x125; W. 17th. st.
$2500—$500 cash; new, modern and very handsome large 5-room cottage, Pico Heights; fine surroundings; lot 50x135.
$3100—$500 cash; fine corner, W. 16th; new and modern 6-room, story-and-a-half cottage; 2 mantels; splendid buy.
$1800—Half cash; modern 6-room cottage; lot 50x160; 25th near Maple.
$4700—$800 cash, $25 per month; 8-room, new and modern 2-story residence; quarter-sawed oak floors; on the very best part of Toberman st. near 18th.
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—PLATS—
$3800—$500 cash; 10-room flats, Crocker near 5th; will rent for $40 per month.
$4800—Modern 12-room flats and other buildings on Girard st.; west side.
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—ACREAGE—
$600—One-half cash; 2 acres unimproved land on the Long Beach electric line; one and one-half miles from city.
$1500—4 acres, same locality.
WE HAVE ORANGE GROVES IN THE VALLEY, FRUIT RANCHES IN THE FOOTHILLS, AND COTTAGES BY THE SEA WAVES, VERY CHEAP FOR CASH, OR ON SMALL PAYMENTS. WE ARE THE LARGEST BUILDERS OF CITY HOMES IN THE CITY, AND IF WE HAVEN'T ANYTHING READY-BUILT TO SUIT YOU, COME IN AND LET US SHOW YOU OUR PLANS AND CONTRACT TO BUILD YOU A HOME.
WE CAN BUILD YOU A STRICTLY MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE FROM $900 UP.
ROOMS 1 AND 2, FRATERNAL BLDG., 447 S MAIN ST. 17

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MINES & FARISH,
404 BRADBURY BUILDING.

WE HAVE THE LARGEST LIST OF "GENUINE HOUSE BARGAINS" IN LOS ANGELES. IF YOU WANT A DESIRABLE LOCATION WE CAN QUICKLY LOCATE YOU AND SAVE YOU BOTH TIME AND MONEY.

$4500. $4000. $4000.
ON A GOOD CORNER S.W. is a beautiful modern two-story 8-room house, has oak floors throughout, and the interior finish is very fine; every conceivable convenience has been incorporated in the construction and at the price it is a bargain.

$2000. $2000. $2000.
A VERY HIGH-GRADE, new 5-room full two-story east front on lot 75x175, near Country Club grounds; house is strictly modern, hardwood floors, fitted with furnace; the interior is beautifully arranged and finished. This is a "beauty," and is VERY CHEAP at $2000.

"AND WE HAVE OTHERS."
MINES & FARISH,
404 BRADBURY BLDG.
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FOR SALE—ONE OF THE CHOICEST CORNER RESIDENCES IN THE WEST LAKE DISTRICT; A VERY HANDSOME STONE-FRONT HOUSE THAT HAS JUST BEEN COMPLETED; THOROUGHLY MODERN; THOROUGHLY UP-TO-DATE HOME; VERY FINELY CONSTRUCTED; 13 LARGE ROOMS, FINISHED DOWNSTAIRS IN FLEMISH OAK AND ART GLASS; THE HALL HAS PANELED AND BEAMED CEILINGS; BEAUTIFUL DINING-ROOM PANELED WITH PANELING AND BEAMED CEILINGS; ALSO HANDSOME BUILT-IN BUFFET WITH ART GLASS; BEAUTIFUL LARGE LIVING-ROOM, 18x24 FEET; QUARTER-SAWED OAK FLOORS DOWNSTAIRS, SEVERAL FINE MANTELS, ELECTRIC FIXTURES ARE THE VERY FINEST; SLEEPING-ROOMS ARE LARGE, HAVE PLENTY OF WINDOWS AND MAPLE ROCK FLOORS; 2 SUPERB BATHROOMS, VERY FINE BILLIARD-ROOM ON THE THIRD FLOOR WITH POLISHED FLOORS; THE HOUSE IS FITTED GOOD FURNACE; HAS FINE CEMENT BASEMENT; THE HOUSE IS SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT; IS FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY WAY. BETTER SEE THIS PLACE BEFORE YOU BUY. INQUIRE FURTHER OF X, BOX 39, TIMES OFFICE. 17

FOR SALE—
"FOR THREE DAYS"
WE OFFER THE BIGGEST SNAP IN A HOLLYWOOD HOME EVER PUT ON THE MARKET.
On a beautiful street, all graded, graveled and curbed, just one block from the electric car line. We offer this beautiful TWO-STORY house of 6 rooms, reception hall, bath and large screen porch, on lot 50x150, for $2800; this property is NEW and artistic modern; the downstairs has parlor, large dining-room extending across entire house, with two large bay windows and large open fireplace; kitchen, 14x16; large pantry and screen porch; also reception hall; the upper floor contains 3 bedchambers and large bath; floors all polished and walls nicely tinted; entire house finished in natural light wood. WE CAN TRUTHFULLY say that this property is cheap at $3600; the Hollywood section is the coming finest residence section; if interested, investigate AT ONCE, for we are going to sell quick.
HAMBRIGHT,
622 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway. 17

FOR SALE—COTTAGE ON S. BONNIE BRAE ST., CORNER OF FOURTH; THE HOME OF AN ARTIST; MUST BE SOLD THIS WEEK; FIVE ROOMS AND BATH; COMPLETELY FURNISHED, FOR $1750; $300 DOWN, BALANCE EASY TERMS; FINE SITUATION; SUPERB VIEW; WEALTH OF FLOWERS AND SHRUBBERY; ONE BLOCK FROM CAR LINE; LOT 50x130; NO ADMISSION EXCEPT BY CARD FROM US. HENDERSON-STEPPER CO., SOLE AGENTS, 703 TRUST BLDG., SECOND AND SPRING. 17

FOR SALE—
COTTAGE NEAR CHESTER PLACE AND ST. JAMES JARK.
Price only, $2400.
Easy terms.
This house contains parlor, dining-room, 3 large bedrooms, entrance hall and rear hall, 2 pantries, large bathroom with porcelain tub, exposed nickel plumbing. This cottage has just been completed; one block from Figueroa st. and four blocks from Chester Place. Price $2400. $500 cash and $25 per month. This is without doubt one of the most complete, well arranged and up-to-date houses in the city; located on a wide street, in the midst of a fashionable neighborhood, where values are steadily increasing, convenient to three car lines, this opportunity should not be overlooked by anyone requiring a thoroughly modern high-class residence at a reasonable price.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
21 218 W. THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, 2 6-ROOM cottages, new and modern, at 4023 and 4027 Wall st., 4024 Woodlawn ave. Don't miss this sale. Take Maple-ave. car to 40th st. Party there to show property Thursday, May 17. Don't miss this bargain sale. OWNER, John J. Kolbe, 457 W. 28th. 17

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
$1650—6-room new cottage, close in; bath, water, gas; lot 50x126; good location; convenient to car; $50 cash and $15 monthly.
$1700—5-room, handsome, new, modern cottage, southwest; bath, water, gas; pretty lot, 50x132; first-class neighborhood; convenient to Washington ave. car; $60 cash and $18 monthly.
$2000—5-room good modern cottage in Boyle Heights; water, gas, bath and sewer connections; choice south front lot, 50x129; eighty location; excellent neighborhood; near car; price $2000, including furniture, piano, etc.; terms, $50 cash and $20 monthly.
R. A. FOWLER COMPANY,
Member L. A. Realty Board.
Both 'Phones 797. 222-3 Braly Bldg.

FOR SALE—
NEW HOUSE—BIG SNAP—$2750.
If you want a SNAP, here it is. A NEW 7-ROOM, two-story house, and fine large lot (50x132 to alley.) House is modern. Rooms are all large. The value of this house is $3200, but owner MUST HAVE MONEY this week. Good barn, chicken corrals. Located on Vernon ave., west of Central.
IT'S A SNAP AT $2750.
MINES & FARISH,
404 Bradbury Bldg. 17

FOR SALE—
$4250.
In Westmoreland tract, the most exclusive residential section in the city, a beautiful new modern and well-built 10-room residence, hardwood floors throughout; elegant lighting fixtures, artistic tinting, 2 fine stone mantels, woodwork is hand-rubbed with pomice stone and oil; no expense has been spared to make it first-class in every respect; lot 66x167; east front; near corner Tenth and Eldon ave. If you want a swell place, at a modest price, don't fail to see this; liberal terms; commission to agents. Key at our office.
PEET & WOODRUFF,
Owners and Builders,
2124 W. Pico, corner Hoover.

FOR SALE—
Magnolia ave. between 2 car lines; 5-room modern cottage.
East front, near 12th st.
Lot 36x160.
16-foot alley.
This is a beautiful cottage home, the grounds are tastefully arranged with an abundance of flowers; there is an excellent vegetable garden, barn in good order for horse and buggy, chicken-house and corrals; through unusual circumstances this property is offered for $2350; easy terms.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
21 218 W. THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—FINE CORNER ON W. NINTH st., with house of 5 rooms, at a bargain. Also 6-room house and fine lot on Winfield st., near Westlake ave.; price only $4200. Also 5 rooms and fine lot, on high ground, close to Burlington ave.; completely furnished; $4200.
Cottage of 5 rooms and good lot, on car line, near W. Adams st.; house fully furnished; price $2250.
M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO.,
18 229½ S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—
ONLY $100 DOWN,
$20 A MONTH, INCLUDING INTEREST.
NEW, MODERN, 5-ROOM COTTAGE.
STEP FROM CAR LINE IN SOUTHWEST.
GAS AND ELECTRICITY.
$2500; NOTHING ELSE LIKE IT ON SAME TERMS.
W. S. BRADFORD,
332 BRADBURY BLDG.

FOR SALE—
SUNNY SIDE.
Get a home in a land where life is easy, where there is never a snowstorm, nor a sunstroke. Bring your family out to SUNNY SIDE and see their cheeks grow rosy with the flush of health, and their eyes sparkle with happiness of open-air freedom every day.
Many of our most choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON,
225 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
$1650—DO YOU WANT A CLOSE-IN BARGAIN?
5-room cottage, new and modern, on Sunset Boulevard, good size lot, high and sightly. THIS PROPERTY IS WORTH $2250, BUT MUST BE SOLD Cash, $1250, balance $20 quarterly. Let us see at once if you want a home cheap and like rent.
NORTON & HAY,
Sole Agents,
21 218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—
Magnificent residence,
Near Figueroa st.,
With barn.
$6500.
Containing nine rooms with every modern improvement, expensively finished, entirely new and never been occupied. No expense has been spared to make this a beautiful and desirable home. The barn has room for 3 horses, with large coach-house.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
21 218 W. THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—
West 12th st.
Between Union and Burlington aves.
7-room cottage.
Containing 4 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, bath-room and hall.
Lot 50x135, sewer.
The owner has left the city and is anxious for a prompt sale, and a low price and easy terms can be arranged.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
21 218 WEST THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—NEW SIX-ROOM COTTAGE, on 45th corner lot, within ten minutes' ride of Second and Spring sts.; good-sized parlor, with bay window and piano window; large dining-room, with bay window and pretty mantel and grate; three fine bedrooms; well arranged kitchen; plumbing very best; coved ceilings; gas and electricity; shades, walks, flowers, etc.; rented for $25 per month; can be had at a low figure and on easy terms, or would take lot as first payment; bargain. 940 E. 15TH ST., one block from Central ave.

FOR SALE—
MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGES.
½ BLOCK OF UNIVERSITY CAR.
TERMS: $200 CASH AND $20 MONTHLY, INCLUDING INTEREST.
PRICE $2300.
These cottages new, with modern improvements, are splendidly located, and are most desirable properties.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
21 218 WEST THIRD ...

FOR SALE—
SUNNY SIDE.
HOME-SEEKERS, TAKE NOTICE!
SUNNY SIDE is the best and cheapest place to buy a home.
Many of our most choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON,
19 225 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
5-ROOM COTTAGE IN SOUTHWEST, FINE LOCATION, NORTH OF JEFFERSON, EAST OF FIGUEROA. Not new, but all modern conveniences; lot 50x150, driveway, south front; will be offered for a few days only; unusual bargain, at $2200; terms will be accepted.
W. S. BRADFORD,
18 332 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—
BIGGEST BARGAIN IN THE CITY.
BETWEEN COURTHOUSE AND NEW P.O. SITE; 50 FEET FRONTAGE, PAYING NOW $40 RENT MONTHLY.
ONLY $125 A FOOT.
WERNER & CO.,
MAIN 2190. HOME 295. 207 N. BROADWAY. 20

FOR SALE—
OVERTON ST. NEAR WEST 12TH ST.
VERY CLOSE IN.
We have two new 5 and 6-room cottages just completed, for sale at reasonable prices and easy terms.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
21 218 WEST THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—THE BEST BARGAIN IN LOS Angeles county; $600 down, balance terms to suit, new and modern 6-room house with basement and whole house, suitable for kitchen, dining, and lot 60x150, one-fourth mile south of Raymond hotel, 1 block from car line; also two modern 8-room houses in the same locality on terms to suit. HOLT, 116 S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE—HOUSES; MODERN 7-ROOM RESIDENCE, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, PORCELAIN BATH, LOT 50x150 TO ALLEY, LESS THAN A BLOCK FROM W. ADAMS ST., NEAR NORMANDIE; OWNER LEAVING CITY AND ANXIOUS TO SELL; FOR THREE DAYS CAN OFFER AT $3800. SEE US QUICK. SHERWOOD & KOYER, 140 S. BROADWAY. 18

FOR SALE—COTTAGES.
I have two fine, new and modern, 5-room cottages on large lots on Cincinnati and Folsom sts., near Soto, for sale at $2300 and $2600, respectively. They are bargains. Built by days' wages from good material.
M. W. ATWOOD, Owner, 612 Grant Bldg., or 346 N. Pickett st. 'Phone 1714.

FOR SALE—$2500; NEW, STRICTLY MODern 6-room cottage, on wide street and fine neighborhood; best plumbing; coved ceilings, tinted walls, fine mantel and fireplace, white cedar finish, large cemented cellar, large, substantial barn, chicken corral, trees, lawn, etc.; lot 40x140 to alley; No. 1417 E. 12TH ST. Owner on premises. 20

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
A bargain in a furnished house on W. 20th, near Grand ave.; be prompt, for we only have this for a short time.
MERCEREAU REALTY CO.,
1712 'Phone. 411 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—WE BUILD FOR CASH OR ON terms; we furnish plans and money; if you expect to build, see us, for we can save you money; let us show you some of the houses we are building. J. BURRIS MITCHEL & CO., 224-27 Douglas Bldg. Home 2774.

FOR SALE—ONLY $1750; THAT ELEGANT 12-room modern residence, on high ground, 1818 Lenox ave., W. Washington st.; greatest bargain ever offered in a high-class, modern residence. See it. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 1

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; NEAT, 7-ROOM, 2-story house, barn, hen house and yards, nicely improved, fruits, flowers in abundance; central location; $1650; small payment, balance to suit. 'PHONE EAST 126.

FOR SALE—$1800; 6-ROOM MODERN COTtage, suitable for two families; lawns, fruit and flowers; $200 cash, balance $25 per month, including interest. HEBER & FARNUM, 207 S. Broadway. 17

FOR SALE—FURNISHED; NO. 1909 SANtee st.; 50-foot lot, 6-room cottage with furniture, cheap at $2500; this price can be discounted; owner leaving the city; want an offer. O. A. VICKREY & CO., 412-413 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—$1200; ONLY ONE UNSOLD OF those 10 fine, 5-room cottages, 50-foot lot; Golf Park tract. Who will get the last one tomorrow? $20 monthly. Great value. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 18

FOR SALE—
NEW, MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE
CLOSE IN, NEAR CAR, ONLY $1900.
CAN MAKE EASY TERMS.
CLARK CO., 301 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—STOCK OF OPTICAL GOODS and small stock of jewelry at less than wholesale price; $125; do not call unless you mean business, and have the money. 405½ S. BROADWAY, room 27. 17

FOR SALE—LOOK! ONLY $2600; 5-ROOM new, modern house, 50-foot front, southern exposure, gas, electricity, lawn, shed; fine location and neighborhood; easy terms. Apply 153 E. 37TH ST. 17

FOR SALE—$2000; EASY TERMS; 5-ROOM house and two large lots on E. 33th st. near Central ave., in the heart of a rapidly-growing district. T. S. WADSWORTH, 219 and 220 Douglas Bldg. 17

FOR SALE — BRAND NEW 5-ROOM COTtages, lot 100x150 feet, in Pardee tract, for $1350; $50 down and $20 per month. See owner, CHARLES W. ALLEN, 142 S. Broadway, rooms 125-126.

FOR SALE—DECIDED BARGAIN IN AN 8-room, 2-story modern house on La Salle ave., off Adams; must sell at once; $2700 takes it. Address OWNER, R. box 7, Times office. 18

FOR SALE — SOUTHWEST, MODERN 5-room house, with story and a half barn; and 2 shed rooms, lawn, fruit and flowers; garden; lot 80x140 to 15-foot alley; 'PHONE WHITE 3725.

FOR SALE—$300 DOWN AND $25 PER MO. without interest, 5-room house, all modern conveniences; lot 50x150; between Ostrich farm and Raymond hotel. HOLT, 116 S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE—$100 CASH, BALANCE MONTHly, new, modern, 5-room cottage, $2000, near car line, 2301 and Maple. FREEMAN & CARLSON, 223 Bryson Block, only $2000. 17

FOR SALE—$1900; COMFORTABLE 5-ROOM cottage, E. Adams, near Long Beach line; large lot, small payment down, balance like rent. WESTON, 231 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—$2000; JUST OVER TEMPLE-ST. hill from $1,000,000 postoffice; I have two good 5-room residences. Phoney makers DICKINSON, 119 S. Broadway. 17

FOR SALE—$2000; INSTALLMENTS; NEW 6-room house, No. 1171 E. 23d st. Call at house, or see R. W. POINDEXTER, owner, 309 Wilcox Bldg. 21

FOR SALE—A SNAP, 4-ROOM COTTAGE, with bath; 50x135; on W. 20th st., CENTRAL INVESTMENT CO., 210 G. T. Johnson Bldg. 17

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, 5-ROOM COTtage and lot, corner Vine and Madison, west part of city. Address BOX 5, Station E, city.

FOR SALE — A $2000 PLACE FOR $1900; also two other places, cheap at $2000. Particulars at WHEELER'S, 119 S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE — SEE WICKS'S ADVERTISEment of 42 lots in Central Avenue Tract; $250 to $425; easy terms in city lots.

FOR SALE—SMALL COTTAGE, $1000. IN-quire 1036 W. 27TH ST.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM HOUSE ON TERMS. 1036 W. 27TH ST.

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
LOTS WICKS OFFERS 27 LOTS ON 23D, 24TH, 25TH AND 26TH STS., ADJOINING CENTRAL AVE., AT FROM $375 TO $425. TERMS ¼ CASH, BALANCE $10 A MONTH, 6 PER CENT. INTEREST. IF NOT CONVENIENT TO PAY ONE-FOURTH, $10 A MONTH CAN BE PAID ON OPTION UNTIL ¼ IS MADE UP. IF DESIRED, AFTER 1-3 IS PAID, DEED WILL BE ISSUED AND MORTGAGE TAKEN BACK AT ONE AND TWO YEARS. BUILDING RESTRICTIONS ON FRONT 50 FEET.
123 LOTS IN BELLEVUE AVE. TRACT, BETWEEN ALVARADO AND WATERLOO STS., AT FROM $200 TO $400; TERMS SAME AS ABOVE.
32 LOTS IN ANGELENO HEIGHTS AT FROM $250 TO $900 EACH.
3 LOTS ON KENSINGTON ROAD, TERMS SAME AS ABOVE, $400 EACH.
79 LOTS IN LAKESIDE TRACT, BOTH SIDES SUNSET BOULEVARD, BETWEEN RESERVOIR AND KENT AVE. AND ALVARADO STS., AT $300 TO $400; TERMS AS ABOVE.
43 LOTS IN ALVARADO PARK, NORTH OR RESERVOIR ST., WEST OF ALVARADO, AT $200 TO $400 EACH; TERMS AS ABOVE.
100 LOTS IN EDENDALE TRACT, $200 TO $300, WITH TWO LOTS 150x300 FEET, AT $350 EACH; TERMS AS ABOVE.
24 LOTS, M. L. WICKS, JR.
ROOM 125, HELLMAN BLK., SECOND AND BROADWAY.
MOYE W. STEPHENS,
LAWYERS' BLK., TEMPLE ST.
H. J. BANNELL,
ALVARADO AND SUNSET BOULEVARD.
ADAMS STREET BUILDING CO.,
2130 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—CAN YOU IMAGINE WHAT the result will be regarding the raise in price of lots north of Temple st., since the location for the postoffice on the Downey Blk. site? We can tell you that we have been offered double what we could have delivered property for a few weeks ago, but owners are refusing to accept it, for beautiful Elysian Park tract is within easy walking distance of the new postoffice site, and will be immensely benefited thereby. You will find it greatly to your advantage to purchase now, before prices are advanced, as they surely will be. The Elysian Park tract adjoins Elysian Park on the south, near the park entrance, at Fremont Gate. Solano ave. runs through the center of the tract and is a fine street. Several new houses now being built on the tract. Present prices of lots, $300 to $650, which will soon be doubled. Take Daly-st. car to Solano ave., to see tract.
M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO.,
18 229½ S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—
DON'T BUY ANY LOTS
Until you have seen our
WATTS JUNCTION TRACT.
LOTS $25 AND UP.
$1.00 DOWN, $1.00 PER WEEK.
This tract is situated on the Long Beach electric line, at the junction of the new Santa Ana line, at Watts Station, 15 minutes from center of town. These lots are directly on the car line.
Lots in this particular section have advanced 50 per cent. in the past 60 days.
Schoolhouse one block distant. Artesian water, fine soil, level lots. No interest, no taxes.
GOLDEN STATE REALTY INVESTMENT CO., (Incorporated.)
Sole Owners, 400 Bryson Block,
Corner Second and Spring sts.
Open evenings.
'Phones—Sunset Main 2918; Home 3001.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, ONE OF THE CHOICEST BUILDING LOTS IN LOS ANGELES.
We have for sale a beautiful lot, 82x254 feet, located on Adams st., just west of Figueroa, which can be bought at a bargain. There are few sites like it to be had at any price. The most exclusive homes in the city surround it. Full particulars on application.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.)
MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD,
REMOVED TO SUITE 204,
12-STORY BRALY BLDG.

FOR SALE—$400.
Lots in the
SOUTH PARK AVE.
HOME TRACT.
Finest of street work, water, oiled streets, moderate building restrictions; easy terms; $100 below the market in this district. Apply
HOME REAL ESTATE CO.,
223-224 Douglas Bldg.
A man on tract.

FOR SALE—O. A. VICKREY & CO. HAVE removed their office, and now located 412-413 GRANT BLDG., Fourth and Broadway, (and have lots for sale

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—A CHOICE LOT ON MAGNOLIA ave., in the Lone Star tract; size 50x140 feet to 20-foot alley; owner must sell.
IT'S A BARGAIN AT $1750.
We also have a fine lot on Normandie ave., just south of Adams st., beautiful neighborhood.
AND A SNAP AT $1000.
A nice lot on W. 23d st., for $875; one on W. 23d for $925; another on W. 24th st. for only $900; they are all east of Vermont ave. and under market.
J. J. JERGINS & CO.
204 Laughlin Bldg. Home 'Phone 1911. 17

FOR SALE—
LAST CHANCE HERE.
GET A HOME,
SEE NEW PLAN TO SAVE RENT.
Just think of it! We will sell you a fine lot for $500; $20 down and $10 month, between Main st. and South Park ave., near two car lines, and all street work done, and let you live on the rear until you can build in front. Last chance on last lots.
GUS B. HILL, Owner,
With Strong & Dickinson,
135 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
W. G. NEVIN TRACT, GRAMERCY PLACE LOTS 76x118, PRICE $1600.
LONE STAR TRACT.
FINE EAST FRONT CORNER ON 11TH ST. 85x140 TO ALLEY, PRICE $2000. THIS IS FINELY SITUATED ON THE BEST STREET IN THE TRACT.
WESTMORELAND HEIGHTS.
FINE 50-FOOT LOT, EAST FRONT, $950.
HERBERT PEERY, 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 19

FOR SALE—
SUNNY SIDE.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO
USE Grapenuts or Force
AT SUNNY SIDE.
Water and climate do it.
Many of our most choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON,
19 225 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
ADAMS ST., ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.
BETWEEN ADAMS AND 30TH.
WEST OF KINNEY HEIGHTS.
CHOICEST ELEVATED PROPERTY IN CITY.
LOTS FROM $300 UP.
MAP AND PRICES ON APPLICATION.
E. A. FORRESTER & SONS,
17 441 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—
Gordon & Hubbard's South Park Tract, between San Pedro st. and South Park ave.
$575—29th st., 42x145 to alley.
$575—29th st., 42x145 to alley.
$900—San Pedro st., 51x179 to alley.
$1000—South Park ave., 50x148 to alley.
Prices will double. Terms easy.
GORDON & HUBBARD, 442 Douglas Blk. 19

FOR SALE—FINE COTTAGE

Liners.

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—
"BEST CLIMATE ON EARTH."
BARGAINS IN DESIRABLE RANCHES.

Ten acres, suitable for chicken ranch; small house; price $1,000.
Fifteen-acre hog ranch, close to Glendale electric line; a fine property and a well-paying hog business; can be bought very low.
Two and a half acres, with six-room cottage; strawberries, orange, lemon, plum, peach and apricot trees; close to Glendale electric line; price $2700.
Six acres, all in orange, lemon and walnut trees; fine two-story nine-room house; good barn; only one block from Glendale electric line; a beautiful home property; price $7500.
Thirty acres of fine soil, ground perfectly level, at Burbank, nine miles from Los Angeles. This is as fine a property as can be found for alfalfa, or for anything else requiring plenty of water. We will deliver the thirty acres and a fine well and new pumping plant, with 75 inches of water, for the low figure of $200 per acre. Compare this with other properties that have as good soil and 75 inches of water.
Ninety acres of good soil, on the Redondo electric line, close to Inglewood, $150 per acre.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.)
Members L. A. Realty Board.
Removed to SUITE 204,
12-STORY BRALY BLDG. 20

FOR SALE—
$4, $, 10, 20 ACRE LOTS.
Rich, sandy loam soil, ten miles south of the city, at blocks from electric railway; in the proven berry, alfalfa, pea, bean and garden district.
CALLED THE
NORTH MONETA GARDEN LAND TRACT.
A 400-acre subdivision supplied with 225 miner's inches of water, produced from a 2000-foot, 30-horse-power electric-motor plant; 1 share of water stock to each acre, guaranteeing a perpetual water supply.
PRICES $175 TO $250 PER ACRE.
EASY TERMS.
H. T. COFFIN, F. L. FORRESTER.
261 Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway.

FOR SALE—THE ST. GEORGE VINEYARD offers for sale one of its best full-bearing vineyards, consisting of bearing vines and orange, olive, and other fruit trees; 130 acres, with fine dwelling, stabling and outhouses; also winery building; this rich property is offered for $40,000; terms one-third cash, balance in easy annual payments; a perfect home and valuable property; anyone desiring a charming home will find this property and all that is desirable. As an investment, it pays very largely. For further particulars, inquire of D. A. McGEE, Secretary, St. George Vineyard, Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—
SUNNY SIDE.
BERRY FARMS pay immense returns per acre. To be successful they must have suitable soil, abundant water and easy proximity to a market. All these we can offer at SUNNY SIDE—acre and 2½-acre lots.
Many of our most choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON.
19 225 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
COWS, HOGS, CHICKENS, POTATOES.
THE BEST-PAYING RANCH PRODUCTS.
For Sale—25 acres, one mile from R.R. station, stores, churches, etc., 12 miles from Los Angeles; land now in crop, prepared for alfalfa, corn and potatoes; all fenced; two flowing wells, 5-room cottage, team, cow, 300 chickens, 2 pigs and farm implements.
W. A. VARCOE & CO.,
17 217 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—
SUNNY SIDE.
2½ and acre lots at SUNNY SIDE. Fertile soil, abundant free water, only 2 miles from city.
Many of our most choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON.
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FOR SALE—THE ONLY COMMERCIAL HOTEL in city of 7000; brick house of 44 rooms, all rooms newly furnished; nicely furnished parlor, fine piano; large safe, fireproof safe; beautifully furnished dining-room, seating 60 people, 2 chair barber shop in connection with property; sub-let shop for $20; rent for whole building, $35; five years' lease, price $3500. Address PACIFIC HOTEL, Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA, FRUIT, VINE OR GRAIN lands in either the Modesto or Turlock irrigation districts. No water rights to buy. The land ONLY is for sale. We have been selling land in this county for 11 years and have the best of bargains to offer in city or country property. Call on or address T. R. RICE & SONS, Modesto, Cal.

FOR SALE—OH YE! OH YE! ALL MANner of persons interested in cheap lands for country homes, draw ye nigh. We have it within 15 miles of city, water to burn! R.R. facilities excellent; land from $25 per acre up; little cash; all time you want on balance. ALLEN REALTY CO.
23 S. Broadway. 17

FOR SALE—SALT LAKE ROAD WILL SOON be running. State lands in Southern Nevada, with plenty of water, at $1.25 per acre. Also snaps in the Muddy and Virgin valleys. See J. F. M'PHERRSON, 401 Stimson Block, corner Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE—GOLET A VALLEY, 34 ACRES, 22 to walnuts, mostly bearing; income 1901, $2100; 1902, $2450; 1903, $3400; without irrigation; schools, churches, R. F. D., sprinkled 1 mile from Santa Barbara; improvements, price $12,000. Possession November 1. Address P.O. BOX 34, Goleta.

FOR SALE—BUENA PARK (LOS ANGELES 19 miles.) 25 acres, alfalfa and fruit; $600 income; 75 inches water; new pumping plant; fine outbuildings; new 8-room 2-story house. WATSON, 225 Trust Bldg. Phone 2780.

FOR SALE — SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 8 north, range 15 west, Kern county; 640 acres, fine, rich soil, level, no alkali, 36 per acre; north; title perfect; in the best part of the valley. Address N. 30, SEIBEL, 713 Howard st., San Francisco, Cal. 18

FOR SALE—COLUSA IRRIGATED LANDS, $45 per acre; alfalfa and fruits; 25 inches rain; splendid climate; rich deep soil; river transportation. Call or address C. O. M. WOODY CO., 410 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES, 20 ACRES IN alfalfa, that cannot be beat in this State; balance for general farming will cut 300 tons of hay this year; $5000; ¼ cash, balance time to suit. 216 S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—WILL EXchange 320 acres Indian land, two 7-inch wells, plenty water, for Los Angeles property; will assume mortgage. Address P., box 94, TIMES OFFICE. 17

FOR SALE—LANDS AND RANCHES IN Muddy, Rivers Valley, on Salt Lake Railroad, in Nevada, for sale. Address A. box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—10-ACRE RANCH AT RIALTO; good house and barn; 10 shares water stock; all nicely improved; close to station; $1500. C. F. PENDELL, 6 Temple Block.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES OIL LAND, PARKersfield; 160 acres in Nevada; 160 acres in Tulare; 2 lots in San Pedro. Call 204½ S. Broadway. THOMAS A. WELLS. 21

FOR SALE — 5 ACRES AT ALTADENA (Pasadena,) every variety of fruit; elegant view, near car line, only $1800. L. M. PRATT, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 17

FOR SALE—RENT FARMS AND FRUIT lands in California; plenty moisture, Fine climate. Write freely. JOY & MAHER, Watsonville, Santa Cruz county.

FOR SALE—$2000; 10 ACRES GOOD LAND bearing vines, fruit trees, house, barn. MRS. STALEY, near Katella School, Anaheim.

FOR SALE—FRUIT AND ALFALFA LANDS, free excursions. Full information at A. B. SHOEMAKE & CO., 126 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — $2000, CATTLE RANCH, 240 acres, fine improvements, 25 springs. MISS PHILBROOK, Ventura, Cal. 23

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT TO BUILD a fine residence? If so, why cramp yourself up on a small lot, when a very little more money will secure this magnificent site of 5 acres, just south of Raymond Hotel, in beautiful San Gabriel Valley, close to electric cars? 7 minutes to business center of Los Angeles. Do you want a lovely place in the suburbs, amid stately palms and ornamental shrubbery, with orange trees in full bearing, which pays big interest on price $5,000. This beautiful location will fill the bill. You cannot afford to waste your lifetime for these things to grow, when you can get them all ready to hand for so little money. 6-room cottage and barn now on place. Water piped all over the place. J. G. OGILVIE, 327 Trust Bldg., corner Spring and Second sts., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—
SUNNY SIDE.
CHICKEN RANCHES—The climate, soil, water and location of SUNNY SIDE make it an ideal spot for raising chickens. Poultry farming pays.
Many of our most choice lots are still unsold. We will run our free excursions from our office every hour until Monday, May 23. Secure booklets and maps.
GRIDER & HAMILTON.
19 225 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—BERRY AND ALFALFA LAND, alfalfa growing, plenty water, fine chicken ranches, only 20 minutes, electric ride, nothing better, nothing so cheap, $225 per acre. CRIBB AND SINCLAIR, 312 Wilcox Building or R. D. LIST, 213 Taje Building; regular commission to agents. L. A. REALTY BOARD. 23

FOR SALE—20 ACRES, 20 ACRES IN Alfalfa, balance for general farming; 2 miles from Pomona; $3000; ¼ cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years. Address owner, 1 box 1, Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—SNAPS, SNAPS, SNAPS.
A $12,500 grove for $10,000.
A $15,000 grove for $12,500.
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TERMS OR TRADE.
WHEELER, 118 S. Broadway. 22

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE—TERMINAL ISLAND LOTS. Best yachting and bathing.
$250—Lot 25x100, on side street.
$450—Lot 50x140, Railroad ave.
$550—Lot 45x100, corner, side street.
$650—Lot 50x140, front, near hotel.
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C. A. SUMNER & CO.,
17 214 Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—$1750; COTTAGE OF 4 ROOMS, all modern and new; lot 40x165, on 38th st., near South Park and car barns; can be sold on easy terms; small payment down and monthly installments. C. A. SUMNER & CO., 214 Trust Bldg. 17

FOR SALE—AT SANTA MONICA, 10-ROOM house, modern improvements, large corner, only $2300; owner needs money and must sacrifice. EWERT, 530 S. Main st. 17

FOR SALE—AT AVALON, NICE 6-ROOM house, furnished, price $2500; less commission. Inquire MONTGOMERY & MULLIN LUMBER CO., 261 Byrne Bldg. 18

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, FINE BEACH house, 12 rooms, 4 flats; makes from $720 to $960 interest per year; clear title and property. Inquire 210 S. SPRING.

FOR SALE—BEST CORNER AT BEST beach, $900. WHEELER, 118 S. Broadway. 21

OCEAN PARK.

FOR SALE—
SOUTH OCEAN PARK,
Formerly Short Line Beach.
South Ocean Park.
The finest beach on the Coast;
Gas, electricity; sewer and water;
The new cut-off will soon be
Running direct into South Ocean Park.
Prices from $200 up.
STRONG & DICKINSON, 125 S. Broadway.
ROBT. MARSH & CO., Douglas Bldg.,
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FOR SALE—$2500; OCEAN PARK; HOLlister ave.; direct view; house, large lot, street improved; one of the best places in Ocean Park for the money; can accept $500 cash payment, balance on terms. R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg. 19

FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, furnished, short walk, block from ocean; rents $40 summer months. If sold at once will take $1800; part cash. See OWNER, 20 Joy st.

FOR SALE—PARTIES HAVING PROPERTY for sale in Ocean Park, or Short Line Beach, please communicate with HUNT & HIGBEY, agents, No. 12 S. Ocean Park. 18

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN LOT AT OCEAN Park; on Clubhouse ave.; a swell street; $1200. W. ATWOOD, 613 Grant Bldg. Home 1714.

FOR SALE—NICE COTTAGE AT OCEAN Park, part cash, part time. Inquire 1826 DOWNEY AVE. 22

LONG BEACH.

FOR SALE—
THE ELECTRIC CARS ARE NOW RUNNING
On the Pacific Electric car line, one block from the
FAMOUS DENSMORE VILLA LOTS.
Lots 50x125; unlimited certificate of title; 3 blocks from $10,000 schoolhouse and less than 5 blocks from ocean.
$225 PER LOT.
One-fourth cash and balance in 2 years at 6 per cent.; only a few left. This price will hold good for a short time only. Unequaled in price and location. Do not delay; your purchase until prices advance. You will have to hurry.
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Phone Home 109.

FOR SALE—$2500; CLOSE IN; CORNER LOT near ocean, suitable for hotel. Box 575, LONG BEACH.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—
At Pasadena—6-room cottage, well located, every convenience, lot 60x200, beautifully improved; price $2000, to trade for small improved ranch.

Pasadena—Brand-new never-occupied 8-room house, everything modern, centrally located to churches and schools; price $5000; to trade for Los Angeles.

Pasadena—$900 equity new 4-room cottage, never occupied, for a good lot, Dolgeville preferred; another equity for $1700 lot.

Pasadena—$12,000 hotel, will take ranch part payment.

South Dakota—320 acres 5 miles from Pierre, choice farming land, $10 an acre; want Pasadena or Los Angeles.

Washington—150 acres grain and grazing land, 15 miles from Tacoma, ½ mile from railroad, $10 an acre; also choice Syracuse (N. Y.) City lots, $250 each; also lots in Griffith, Ind., to trade for Los Angeles.

New Haven, Ct.—A 7 and 11-room house, up to date, rented $45 a month, centrally located, for small ranch or home Pasadena or Los Angeles, price $3000; also 11-room furnished house, Salida, Colo., 2 blocks from postoffice; rented $450 per annum; want small ranch worth $3500, on cash basis.

Riverside County—140 acres land near Colton, $20 an acre, what have you to trade for this? Might assume some.

For Sale—at Pasadena, chicken and berry ranch, 1¼ acres, furnished cottage, incubator brooder, and about 200 chickens; pays handsomely; price $2250.
HALL,
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FOR EXCHANGE—4-ROOM MODERN COTtage for acreage. Apply 1823 E. 20TH. 18

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Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—BY BEN WHITE, 308 Bryson Block, corner of Second and Spring. These are all first-class trades and will stand the most rigid inspection.

$40,000—A fine business block in Oakland, well located; will take one-half in good Southern California property, orange grove preferred, balance can be arranged at low interest to suit purchaser.

A 10 acres of fine land with plenty of city water, near the motor line at Pacific Beach, San Diego county; only 7 miles from the Courthouse; worth $2000 cash; will trade for Los Angeles property and assume, or will take three-fourths in other country property and one-fourth can remain to suit at low interest.

$10,500—7½ acres in full-bearing navels with almost a free water right at Corona, together with a house and 3 lots in the city of Corona; price of all $10,500. Want city property here or East, or would take a first-class ranch in the East; may assume on city or eastern. If you have city property anywhere in the East, here is a grand opportunity as this grove produced 2100 boxes this year.

$650—2 good lots in Oakland, free of incumbrance, as first payment on house and lot here or vacant lot. BEN WHITE, 308 Bryson Block.

$50,000—Mortgage $20,000; one of the finest orange groves in Southern California to trade for good eastern as owner expects to go East within the next 15 days. This grove is so located that it always pays big as the fruit is ripe six weeks ahead of any other.

$2000—5 acres, fairly improved, at Redwood City, San Mateo county; only about 20 miles on the electric line from San Francisco. Want city property.

$6000—A 20-room apartment-house, close in, rented at $80 per month. Will take half in other city property and the balance can run on mortgage to suit. This is a good-paying property.

$3500—A first mortgage, well secured, on a good 10-acre orange grove, due in six months, one, two and three years; will trade for house and lot in city and may pay $1000 cash difference.

$2500—About 25 head of stock and lease on a good alfalfa ranch between here and Long Beach; clearing over $100 per month. To trade for a small ranch and will give $1000 cash difference; may take a small fruit or orange grove. To buy, sell or exchange property, go to BEN WHITE, 308-9 Bryson Block. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HAVE FOR SALE or exchange 20 acres of fine soil, planted to citrus and deciduous fruits, located on the electric line at San Gabriel; the ground lies perfectly level and the soil cannot be surpassed; the Alhambra electric cars pass within 200 feet; this property is ripe for subdivision and $5-ft. lots will sell readily at $250 per lot. It is clear of incumbrance, and we will deliver title for $450 per acre; will accept desirable Los Angeles property, value $9000 to $14,000, in exchange; your money can be trebled in from 12 to 18 months.
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FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE; WE HAVE for sale, at Fernando, a fine 5-acre ranch property which can be bought at a bargain, the improvements are A1 and consist of nearly new 6-room cottage, barn, chicken house, windmill, tank, etc., there is plenty of water both for domestic use and for irrigation; will be sold cheap or will exchange for Los Angeles property, and if necessary add cash.
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A SNAP BUY NEAR NEW P.O. SITE.
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64 feet frontage, at very low price, location considered; buy this and build a business block and you will secure a big revenue, besides; a sharp advance in the frontage; our price is an old price and must be taken at once before the present owner gets on to his job.
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A CHOICE CORNER, 150x182 FEET, NEAR 12TH AND FIGUEROA STS.; FINE LOCATION FOR STORES AND FLATS. THE PROPERTY IS WORTH FOURTH $10,000, BUT OWNER NEEDS MONEY.
IT'S A SNAP AT $8250.
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LOS ANGELES ST. NEAR SIXTH.
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WEST SIDE OF STREET.
PRICE MUST BE SEEN AT ONCE.
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WHITING'S, Ninth and Maple.

FOR EXCHANGE—
For one first-class
$20,000—Stock ranch with stock.
$12,000—Good Kansas farms, clear.
$10,000—City income for alfalfa land
R. D. LIST, 213 Taje Building. 22

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE, A DESIRABLE piece of income property in heart of the city, west of Main st.; mortgaged for half the value; will take good clear property for half; prefer suburban. Address Owner, B, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — WALNUT RANCH, 25 acres, mostly full-bearing walnuts; house, barn, chicken houses, pumping plant, price $17,000; will take Los Angeles rental property up to $8500. See L. M. PRATT, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 17

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FOR EXCHANGE—WE HANDLE REAL ESTATE exchanges exclusively and have many choice properties. Send full description. F. M. SIMPSON & CO., 540 Bradbury Bldg.

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FOR EXCHANGE—100 ACRES, SAN FERnando, $2000 and cash; want California or Eastern. Address J. S. ULLAND, care Bartlett Music Co., city. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES SMOOTH LAND in good location for stock of groceries, or what have you? M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Home 1714.

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FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. Office 308 and 309, BRYSON BLOCK, Second and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD CALIFORNIA property for something in Toledo, Ohio. Address W, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. 16

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL TAKE GOOD runabout as part payment on $1000 cottage, 549 E. 24TH. 18

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—AS THE SITE FOR
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has been decided upon,
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OUR CARLOAD OF NEW DROPHEAD
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A GENERAL CLEAN-UP SALE
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FOR SALE—VERY CHEAP TO CLOSE OUT; National cash register, platform and computing scales, jewelry floor showcase and jewelry; coffee mill, wagon, etc. RED ANCHOR GROCERY, 744 San Pedro st. 17

FOR SALE—FOR $1 WILL SEND 2 GOOD prescriptions that can be filled at any drug store, and will positively prevent hair turning gray or falling out. DR. F. C. WILSON, General Delivery, city. 17

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FOR SALE—A THEATRICAL PUBLICAtion of several years' standing, can be bought cheap. If application is made at once. COMMERCIAL PRINTING HOUSE, 333 S. L. A. st. 17

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FOR SALE—$500 NEW COLONIAL DOORS, 2-6x6-6, only $1.30; best stock, 10 per cent. off to dealers.
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FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN MODERN FURniture of 8-room house, complete; only used few months; house to rent. 2117 OAK ST. Home 'Phone 7818. 17

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FOR SALE — OR TRADE—1 STAR HAY press, for hogs or cattle or barley hay. GEO. B. KELLAM, Downey, Cal. 19

FOR SALE—WALL PAPER; CLOSING OUT 7000 rolls less than cost. CHICAGO PAINT CO., 1015 S. Main. 19

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FOR SALE—$450 NEW PIANO, FOR $200, Armstrong make. Inquire 320 E. 25TH. 18

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND SAFE AND hay scale. 212 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN A SODA WATER fountain. 422 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—FIRE-PROOF SAFE. ANDERSON, 212 N. Main.

FOR SALE—SPAN OF YOUNG MULES. BOX 455, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—1000 DOORS BELOW COST. $34 ALISO ST.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—
Are you interested in
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If so, it will pay you to read this ad. carefully, and call on us at 852 S. Broadway.
A brass-trimmed iron bed, complete, with cable springs and cotton-top mattress, all brand new, for $7.65.
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A solid oak bedroom suit for $12.50.
A solid oak sideboard for $6.
A small kitchen table for 65c.
Don't fail to see us before you buy any furniture.
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Home 'Phone 6545. Sunset West 1898. 16

FOR SALE—I WILL SELL AT A BARGAIN my furniture and 2 years' lease of my 12-room house; furniture new and everything first-class; house pays from $50 to $60 a month net; rent $35. 801 GLADYS AVE., corner of Fifth st. 17

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BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

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FOR SALE—BOARDING-HOUSE FULL OF boarders; ill health reason for selling. Feed yard with long time ground lease; cheap rent.
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FOR SALE—$100 AN ACRE; FINE LEVEL land near railroad, ample water; suitable for oranges, deciduous fruits, alfalfa or vegetables; fine for chickens; in town, but 5 to 80 acres, at $100 an acre, $20 down, balance $10 a year, at 6 per cent. L. M. PRATT, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 17

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

$300—CIGAR STAND ON 5TH ST., CLEARing $5 per day; the very best of cigar stock; fine fixtures; rent only $10 per month. This is the best and cheapest cigar stand in the city; good reasons for selling. Ask owner, DOLPH M. GREENE, 852½ S. Broadway, room 1. 17

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EXPERT PRACTICAL HATTER WITH part cash will sell partner; $300 to $1000 required, for manufacturing and renovating hats; best paying business in California. Address S, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 18

FOR SALE—GENERAL MERCHANDISE store, best city in Southern California; business $65,000 a year, established 15 years; this is a fine cash and trade business. Invoice $6000. LEE & SMITH, 229 Broadway.

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FOR SALE—JOB PRINTING OFFICE, COMmercial line, Chainless Gordon press, plenty storeroom, stock, etc.; cause, health and call back East. Room 34, OXARART BLDG., Pomona, Cal.

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$325—CIGAR STAND; GOOD LOCATION; $300 stock; fine fixtures; clearing $4 per day; this is a genuine snap; good reason for selling. See WOCKERLY, 435½ S. Broadway, room 1. 17

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED, EASTERN income property; have some fine California orchards and farms to offer for eastern realty. L. M. PRATT, 608 Laughlin Bldg. 17

BEST LITTLE RESTAURANT IN THE city for sale; best location; doing good business; cheap rent; reason for selling. Address 325 S. MAIN ST., or call Home 6147. 18

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FOR SALE—$450; GOOD BAKERY, WHOLEsale and retail; good counter trade; horse and wagon; first-class opportunity for baker. SUPPLY CO., 372 S. Los Angeles st. 18

FAMILY GROCERY AND BAKERY, $275; stock and fixtures, mostly stock, will invoice or lump, clears $3 to $5 per day; living rooms, rent, $15. 808 GLADYS AVE. 18

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SPORTING PAGE.

CORBETT AND BRITT AGAIN.

Match to Come Off Before December 31, Arranged.

Jimmy Anxious to Lick the Ex-Champion Again.

Change in Quotations on Big Spring Handicap.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jimmy Britt, the greatest little fighter California ever sent into the ring, and Young Corbett, who met his master in Britt and has been howling "robbed" ever since, are to have another hammer at each other before the California club offering the best inducements. A match was made today, to come off some time before December 31, for the feather-weight championship of the world. The fight was arranged by Willie Britt, manager for brother Jimmy, and Harry Pollok, manager for Young Corbett. The two managers met at a downtown newspaper office, and lost no time in quibbling. Willie Britt was on hand first, but did not have to wait long.

"Corbett would like another chance," said Pollok, after shaking hands with Manager Willie. "Guess there won't be any difficulty about it, Harry," Britt replied cordially. "Jimmy has had a huge disgust on about the way Corbett has been crying 'robbed,' and is anxious to lick him again. I guess there will be no hitch about us coming to terms." "Anything reasonable suits us," Pollok broke in earnestly.

After some discussion, it was agreed that it was only fair that Britt should have a chance to fill his theatrical engagements. Britt insisted for his brother that Corbett engage in no other battle until the match was pulled off, and Pollok instantly agreed. Pollok offered no objection to San Francisco as the battleground. Twenty rounds is to be the limit of the fight. The men will meet again September 15 to arrange all the details.

OTHER DETAILS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—The articles stipulate that the date and other details for the contest shall be agreed upon at a meeting between Britt and Corbett and their representatives, September 15. The agreement also provides that no bouts other than three-round sparring contests shall be engaged in before the fight. Britt insisted on the provision providing that no fight previous to the match should be engaged in.

WESTERN HORSES FORGE HEAD.

SHAKE-UP IN QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When the latest odds are received on the big spring handicaps there will be no doubt a change in quotations. Irish Lad is held at 6 to 1, due to his race in the Metropolitan. Still, with racing in full bloom, Brooklyn Handicap candidates are beginning to show themselves, and Africander's race Saturday will no doubt change the complexion of affairs.

Son of Star Ruby, Africander has been held on even choice with the western horse, McChesney, at 8 to 1. "Mike" Daly's western horse, Claude, is up with the handicap kings, for only 12 to 1 is quoted about his chances, while Hamburg filly, Hamburg Belle, can be played at 10 to 1.

Some people regard the chances of Picket favorably, and his present quotations are 30 to 1. Picket has worked a mile in 1:39½, is in grand shape, and the price looks juicy. His price across the board is 30, 12 and 5.

RIFLE AND REVOLVER.

FRENCH THE BEST SHOTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Scoring has just been completed in the rifle and revolver match between a French team of fifteen shooting in Paris and an American team here. On total points the Frenchmen won by 439. The American team beat the French 311 points with the revolver, while at rifle targets the French won by 750 points, making a net victory for the Parisians. The best individual scores with both arms were made by members of the American team. Some remarkably high scores were made with the revolver, notably those of B. F. Wilder and Lieut. R. H. Sayre. The total revolver scores of the home team show a percentage of between 85 and 86, while the rifle scores show a percentage of 164.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

PITTSBURGH-NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH, May 16.—The game was finely played up to the fifth inning, when a base on balls and four errors netted New York five runs. In the fifth Pittsburgh made five hits, scored a run for every hit, and won the game. Attendance 6400. Score:

Pittsburgh, 6; hits, 11; errors, 5.
New York, 5; hits, 5; errors, 1.
Batteries—Leever and Phelps; Matthewson and Warner.
Umpires—Johnstone and O'Day.

BOSTON-CINCINNATI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI, May 16.—Cincinnati was unable to hit the delivery of Willheim today, and the Bostons won. The locals only secured five scattered hits. A sensational double play by Peitz and Corcoran was the feature of the game. Attendance 2500. Score:

Cincinnati, 1; hits, 5; errors, 2.
Boston, 2; hits, 7; errors, 1.
Batteries—Hahn and Schiel; Wilhelm and Needham.
Umpire—Emslie.

CHICAGO BROOKLYN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, May 16.—Chicago today defeated Brooklyn in a ragged fielding exhibition. Only five hits were made off Weimer, but he issued seven passes, and then struck out nine men, and batted in two runs with a clean two-base hit. Attendance 1100. Score:

Chicago, 7; hits, 10; errors, 3.
Brooklyn, 6; hits, 5; errors, 6.
Batteries—Weimer and O'Neil; Jones and Bergen.
Umpire—Moran.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

PHILADELPHIA-ST. LOUIS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—Henley's wildness in the first two innings resulted in four runs for St. Louis, but in the locals' half of the second inning they scored five runs on two bases on balls and five hits. Attendance 3000. Score:

St. Louis, 4; hits, 3; errors, 2.
Philadelphia, 5; hits, 9; errors, 2.
Batteries—Siever and Sugden; Henley and Powers.

WASHINGTON-CHICAGO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Washington and Chicago played a loose game today, the former winning. Patterson was taken out of the box in the fourth inning, and Walsh, who relieved him, was hit safely only once thereafter. Attendance 2000. Score:

Washington, 4; hits, 9; errors, 4.
Chicago, 3; hits, 9; errors, 5.
Batteries—Patten and Kittredge; Patterson, Walsh and Sullivan.

DEROIT-NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—The Detroit and New York teams played their first game of the season today, the visitors winning. The locals gave a poor exhibition in the field. Hughes was knocked out of the box in the fifth inning. Attendance 2600. Score:

New York, 6; hits, 8; errors, 5.
Detroit, 11; hits, 15; errors, 3.
Batteries—Hughes, Wolfe and McGuire; Killian and Wood.

CLEVELAND-BOSTON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, May 16.—Gibson's lack of control and poor fielding helped Cleveland to win from Boston today. Cold weather and a high wind bothered the players. Attendance, 5800. Score:

Cleveland, 9; hits, 11; errors, 0.
Boston, 4; hits, 10; errors, 6.
Batteries—Bernhardt and Bemis; Gibson and Criger.

"FRISCOS PUT SEATTLE OUT.

YERKES MAGNIFICENT GAME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) May 16.—Yerkes pitched a magnificent game, holding Seattle safe all the way. He was given perfect support in the field. San Francisco hit timely, which, taken in connection with costly errors by Hall, Delehanty and Wilson, and Williams's passes to first, put Seattle out of the running. A light rain fell throughout the game. Score:

Seattle, 2; hits, 12; errors, 5.
San Francisco, 8; hits, 11; errors, 6.
Batteries—Williams and Wilson; Yerkes and Leahy.
Umpire—Huston.

ANOTHER KICK ON THAT MEET.

ATHLETIC COMMISSIONER A. A. LAWTON TALKS TURKEY.

Declares the Meeting Was Not Called in Good Faith, and Was Really in the Interests of Local Football Promoters—A Suggestion on the Proper Field for Action.

The abortive athletic love feast of last Friday evening, which was called ostensibly to patch up a row in college circles, seems not only to have failed dismally in its mission, but to have even created another failing out of more than passing interest.

The meeting was in response to a summons issued by C. S. Tappan, who is head of the local branch of the Pacific Amateur Athletic Union, of which Messrs. A. A. Lawton and Keating are commissioners. During the proceedings of Friday evening there were certain occurrences, notably the "butting in" of Joseph F. Seymour, Jr., which caused some people to ponder.

Yesterday A. A. Lawton, one of the commissioners, repudiated the meeting, declaring openly that he believed it had not been called in good faith, and outlining reasons for his position. Said Mr. Lawton:

"When I went into the meeting in response to Mr. Tappan's call, I acted in perfect good faith, realizing that the P.A.A.U. was stepping a little out of its jurisdiction in mixing up with a disagreement between colleges, but thinking it would be all right on account of the spirit which prompted the action. If I had thought for a minute that the meeting was to be turned into an attempt on the part of local promoters to get a slice of the football business this fall I would never have permitted my name to be mixed up with it, as I cannot afford to get tangled up with a job of that kind. Though I understood the meeting was to patch up athletic differences, nothing was talked from start to finish but football, and an attempt was even made to make up a football schedule. The A.A.U. doesn't meddle with affairs of that kind; in fact doesn't try to regulate football at all, or anywhere. So that part of the meeting was establishing a precedent. I believe the Pomona and U.S.C. people were in good faith, but somebody wasn't. I believe Mr. Keating was acting fairly, too, but I am convinced that some person, or persons, were trying to use the local branch of the A.A.U. to further their personal ends in the football business, and, for one, I don't propose to stand it and am perfectly willing to be quoted to that effect most strongly."

The situation to which Mr. Lawton refers is briefly this. Hempel, who has Fiesta Park tied up for two years, can make money by leasing the place to teams for 25 per cent of the gate receipts, while certain other promoters, Seymour and those back of him, who use Prager Park, have a more expensive proposition on their hands, and may find it hard to compete.

Vanderbilt's Calico Takes Third.

PARIS, May 16.—W. K. Vanderbilt's Calico came in third today in the race for the Prix Clochette at the St. Cloud meeting.

Deny Lipton's Fourth Challenge.

BELFAST, May 16.—The officials of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club deny that Sir Thomas Lipton has decided to issue a fourth challenge for the America's cup.

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SLOTTERBECK AND A PARTY AT MANHATTAN PAY CALL.

The Whole Family Was at Home and Great Great Granddaddy Croaker Was Among Those Present—A Merry Time on the Beach—Day's Catches at Other Fishing Resorts.

Messrs. H. Slotterbeck, J. F. Mullen, W. J. Warden and P. Elliott paid the Yellowfins a very pleasant hour's call at Manhattan late Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Yellowfin, Grandpa Yellowfin, and all the little Yellowfins, not to say a word of Great-great-granddaddy Croaker, were present, but the baby Yellowfins are well-bred children and had but little to say. The visit was not an unmixed pleasure, though the gentlemen enjoyed it immensely. They were so pleased with the treatment they received that they stole all of the family they could get their arms around; H. Slotterbeck was set down by Ma Yellowfin as a horrid thing, because he ran away with eighteen of the other Yellowfins in hardly an hour's courtship.

The other gentlemen were more moderate in their demands. Mr. Mullen only took about five. Mr. Warden got struck on nine. Mr. Elliott skipped out with seven. It was Mr. Slotterbeck who stole Great-great-grand-daddy Croaker, in addition to his other sins of the day. These four bad men each brought a pocketful of big fat sand-crabs, which they offered the Yellowfins, and when they were engaged in eating the juicy things, got their hands around everyone they could catch, and then ran off up the beach with them. The Yellowfins won't invite them again, but Mr. Slotterbeck has a standing invitation from Fatty Corbina, who lives at the sewer wharf, a very aristocratic spot in surf circles, and he means to use it to the limit.

For once the western beaches had the call on the southern resorts, as Sunday's scores from Port Los Angeles to Redondo were rather superior to the average made from Long Beach to the breakwater. Though conditions apparently favored, many of the regulars at Terminal, Brighton and San Pedro were dismally blanked, and those who went outside got practically nothing for their pains. Those who tackled the spotfins inside got but few strikes, for some unknown reason. Tides were favorable enough. Al Sheriff caught half a dozen yellowfins in the bay during the day, and changed his position not less than a dozen times; a thing that says volumes to anyone who appreciates the patience and perseverance of Mr. Sheriff while in piscatorial pursuits. A few China croakers fell to the rods of H. W. Coomber, Eugene Elliott, and others who anchored off the point. Those who put in time off the rocks at East San Pedro got a few small corbina and several scrappy ladyfish for their pains; those who landed the latter had but little complaint to make. C. R. Aumock, Broncho Spear and W. S. Skeel were in on this part of the picnic. Simon better known as "Fancy" Spier, and Will Stearns, who went up coast as far as Portuguese Bend, located one lively bonita and a small bass; that was all.

Nearly everybody had a taste of sport during the day at the resorts lying between Redondo and Del Rey, but the cream of the game was reserved for those who fished early and late. At Redondo one lucky angler, between 4 o'clock and 6 in the morning and between 7 and 10 at night, took 110 mackerel, several dozen being cornfeds. A few respectable catches were made by those who understood the habits of these active little fish.

A few bass at Port Los Angeles, and not much of anything at Ocean Park were the conditions elsewhere. Harry Slotterbeck and his party, who made the big killing on yellowfins, fished from the shore, wading out into the surf nearly waist deep, and then casting out, with sandcrabs for bait. These succulent surf delicacies were very scarce, and obtainable only by much hard work. Warden got the biggest yellowfin, a miniature whale, weighing 5 pounds and 2 ounces after being brought uptown. Slotterbeck's dozen and a half weighed from two to four pounds, none smaller; the croaker weighed nine. The beach from Manhattan on will probably be well patronized this week in consequence of the catch. A few sharks of the shovel-nose variety lent variety to the fun. All the yellowfins were caught between 6 o'clock and dark. Those who leave town on the 4:40 car stand as good a chance of sport as those who have been on the field all day. It is, however, necessary to stop off at Del Rey and get sandcrab bait, or else gather it oneself, which is something of an undertaking with crabs as scarce as now.

TENNIS.

TOURNEY PROSPECTS.

From present prospects it looks much as if the opening of the tennis season would occur at Ocean Park. Dana Burks, president of the Ocean Park Country Club, is figuring on a two days' affair, to open Saturday, July 2, and finish Monday, July 4. Such a tournament would allow of considerable play, and probably would draw a good-sized entry. Mr. Burks has made no definite announcement as yet.

The Central Courts Association is carrying on its work steadily, and the house is well advanced now. Two courts are laid. The improvements from now on will be mostly in the way of beautifying the place.

The Los Angeles High School held its tennis tryouts last Saturday. The tennis meet of the County High School League will take place next Saturday; and in the finals of the preparatory ladies' singles, Miss Lucy Howell qualified for the team by defeating Miss Mary Taney.

BILLIARDS.

OLD WAR HOSS AGAIN.

Frank Keniston, better known as the "Old War Hoss," defeated Walter Johnston, 40 to 23, in Berry's three-cushion tournament play last night, but had to step some to do it, running out in sixty innings for an average of 2-3, very high-class caroms, indeed. Keniston ran four three times, had several three and plenty of twos. Tonight will probably see the tournament finished, as Seymour and Keniston, who are tied for first place—the "stable entry" as Keniston puts it—play off their difference, and Joe Carney and Upton fight it out for fourth place. Johnston takes third money on last night's game. The play will be started early, about 7:30, so as to be finished in good season. The players divide $100 as stakes.

In Morley's tournament, Williams beat Sailaday, 25 to 24, with a high run of four, and average of 29-100. Millrap and Amson play tonight.

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RACING RESULTS.

ELM RIDGE SUMMARY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KANSAS CITY, May 16.—Elm Ridge summary:

Four and a half furlongs, selling: Platoon won, Oceaner second, Hersain third; time 0:53¼.

Mile and an eighth, selling: Charles D. won, Foncasta second, Henry of Franstamar third; time 2:02½.

Six furlongs, selling: Glorioso won, Seela Knight second, Rush Reuben third; time 1:18⅘.

Seven and a half furlongs: Fossil won, Lodalighter second, St. Tammany third; time 1:38⅕.

Mile and a quarter, hurdles, purse: John E. Owens won, Imperious second, Beana third; time 2:36.

Six furlongs, selling: Banquero won, Eldn King second, Irish Jewel third; time 1:13⅕.

CHURCHILL DOWNS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) May 16.—Churchill Downs summary:

Four and a half furlongs: Itaska won, Rosessa second, Woodclaim third; time 1:56¼.

Six furlongs: Talpa won, Miss Crawford second, Nannie Hodges third; time 1:15.

One mile, handicap: Autolight won, Merry Pioneer second, Coruscate third; time 1:42.

The Juvenile stakes, five furlongs: The Pet won, Magic second, Doubt third; time 1:03¼.

Seven furlongs: Rachel Ward won, Amorous second, Miriam W. third; time 1:30.

One mile and fifty yards: The Guardsman won, Rosemond second, Mandamus third; time 1:46⅕.

ON THE WORTH TRACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, May 16.—Worth summary:

Four and a half furlongs: Sincerity Belle won, Azeline second, Pallala third; time 0:55⅕.

Seven furlongs: Foresight won, Vestry second, Jerry Lynch third; time 1:27.

One mile: Just So won, Falkland second, Soldier of Fortune third; time 1:42 1-5.

Six furlongs: Toscan won, Bondage second, Don Domo third; time 1:13 3-5.

MORRIS PARK SUMMARY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—Morris Park summary:

Last six and a half furlongs of Withers mile: Rapid Water won, Robin Hood second, South Trimble third; time 1:23¾.

Last four and a half furlongs of Eclipse course: Blandy won, Britisher second, Amberjack third; time 0:54¼.

Last seven furlongs of the Withers mile, selling: Totness won, Dark Planet second, Tol San third; time 1:30½.

Claremont Handicap, last six and a half furlongs Withers mile: Hurst Park won, Lux Casta second, Gay Boy third; time 1:22.

The Withers mile: Runnels won, Red Knight second, Fiorham Queen third; time 1:42⅘.

Mile and a furlong, handicap: Oarsman won, City Bank second, Maj. Daingerfield third; time 1:55¼.

DELMAR RESULTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—Delmar results:

Four furlongs: Phil King won, Braden second, Laurel L. third; time 0:54.

Six furlongs, selling: Velasquez won, Sid Silver second, Blue Blazes third; time 1:21⅕.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Pilgrim Girl won, Sadie Burch second, Aggie Lewis third; time 1:16.

Mile and seventy yards, handicap: Jack Young won, Charlie Thompson second, Jorgan third; time 1:66.

Four and a half furlongs: Cameron won, Renaissance second, A Lady third; time 1:03.

One mile, selling: Neversuch won, John Doyle second, Lynch third; time 1:53.

Sports of All Sorts.

"Bones" Ely has been making Herculean efforts to brace up the Browns, but hardly with what could be called bowling success. He has fallen down in his chase after Gus Dundon, one of the Chicago Whitesox's third basemen, recently with Denver. Jake Thielman will not keep in condition, and the club wants pitchers badly. Ely is after some now.

Portland is not the only club that wants some twirlers. Barney Dreyfus of Pittsburgh is trying to give $25,000 for a pair. He has even offered to make the man who finds them for him a present of a thousand-dollar bill.

The Kenilworth track at Petaluma opened last Saturday with a tight ring and six favorites finishing back, to say nothing of a rank reversal of form. Jockey Gregory was indefinitely "canned" for his ride on Sea Air, one of the beaten favorites.

The McCoy-O'Brien scrap appears to have been an agreeable disappointment. Nobody took them seriously, but they fought all the way.

ARMY AND NAVY MEN

Capt. W. G. Ross of the revenue-cutter service has been assigned to command the revenue cutter Mohawk, recently accepted by the government. She will be placed in commission, it is expected, about the middle of April.

Rear-Admiral P. H. Cooper assumed command of the Asiatic fleet on March 21, relieving Rear-Admiral Evans.

Lieutenant-Commander Harry M. Dombaugh, who has been on duty on the training ship Hartford, has been detached on account of sickness, and will undergo treatment at the Naval Hospital, New York.

Capt. William V. Judson, military attaché to the embassy at St. Petersburg, Russia, was in that city March 21, and was to proceed to the front as soon as possible to observe military operations.

President Roosevelt recently received Admiral Dewey, who lately returned from West Indian waters. When the Admiral had paid his respects, he delivered to the President a message of good will from President Palma of Cuba.

Assistant Engineer R. E. Carney, retired, has been detached from duty in the office of Naval Intelligence and directed to proceed to San Diego for duty in connection with the naval coaling station and plant to be constructed at that place.

Following the late unpleasant experience of the Winslow in ramming a vessel in Hampton Roads, Lieut. C. P. Nelson has been detached from command of that craft and been ordered to assume watch and division duty on board the Iowa, being relieved by Lieut. E. W. McIntyre of the Iowa.

Maj. James E. Mahoney, former acting commander of the marine barracks at the navy yard, New York, was relieved of his station April 1 by Col. M. C. Goodrell. He will proceed to Washington for the purpose of organizing the battalion of marines he is to take to the St. Louis exposition. These marines are now being sent to Washington from wherever they can be spared. The major portion of those that will go are on their way to Brooklyn on the Dixie.

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MOTOR CAR'S WILD LUNGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jung Hurt on Grade.

New Five-Thousand-Dollar Machine Smashed.

Brake Fails to Work on San Marcos Pass.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A serious automobile accident in which several prominent Los Angeles persons were injured occurred on the San Marcos Pass, a mountain grade on which motor cars are not allowed. News of the catastrophe reached Santa Barbara this afternoon and created excitement. Owing to a broken brake a heavy Peerless machine, owned by Andrew Jung of Los Angeles, and carrying Jung, his wife and Charles Miller, his chauffeur, dashed down the steepest part of the grade and turned turtle, dangerously injuring Mrs. Jung and pinning Jung under the car. Miller escaped without serious hurt.

The Jung party in a Peerless, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vigus in a Cadillac, and Frank Hudson and wife in a Winton, were touring from Los Angeles to Niles. Although it is against the law for motors to cross the San Marcos Pass on account of the danger to traffic, the three machines took this route and Hudson and Vigus made the descent in safety, waiting at the foot of the grade for Jung. His failure to arrive caused the others alarm, and they were about to return when Miller ran up and dropped in a dead faint before he could explain what happened.

After being revived Miller said that shortly after leaving Cold Springs Hotel the brake broke and the machine dashed down the grade at a terrific pace. After making several perilous turns Miller ran the car into the bank where it turned completely over. Mrs. Jung was thrown against a tree with frightful force, sustaining a deep scalp wound and a cut in the cheek, and Jung was pinned under the seats of the machine.

When the rescue party arrived on the scene, Mrs. Jung was still unconscious. At the sight of the wreck Miller fainted again and it was some time before he came to. After great trouble Jung was taken out and the entire party taken to Kelley's bee ranch, a short distance away, and medical aid was sent for.

The wrecked machine is a new one for which Jung paid $5000 a short time ago. An effort was made to move the machine and clear the road for traffic, but twenty-five men failed to budge it, and the rescue party sent to Santa Cruz for horses.

SAN DIEGO.

LOVE LEADS TO MURDER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, May 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] According to the evidence developed at the inquest of the killing of Romero Millans in the Picacho mining camp, Thursday morning, it was due to jealousy of three Mexicans over a girl, the murdered man having had the best of the love-making contest. The three lovers were out with two Mexicans serenading various people. All the serenaders were drunk. Eight shots were fired, four at the place of the murder, Millans receiving three of the bullets, the one which produced death penetrating the groin and severing an artery. A posse of Mexicans of their own free will ran the supposed murderers down. One of them, Francisca Santa Cruz, resisted arrest, firing and wounding one of the posse. The jury returned a verdict that Millans came to his death by a gunshot wound made with a gun in the hands of either Francisco Santa Cruz or Gaudalupe Montes, which one the jury was unable to determine. The suspected murderers are in jail here.

BULLETS FLY IN IMPERIAL.

Coroner Morgan, who returned tonight from the Picacho mining camp, reports hearing a lively shooting affair at Imperial last night between an American and a Mexican, the trouble arising over the former's attention to the latter's wife. Twelve shots were fired, but it was dark, and neither man was wounded. At the close of hostilities the combatants declared they would shoot each other on sight.

GOLDEN CROSS DELAY.

This afternoon the hearing before Judge Torrance on the application of Charles W. Pauley for discharge from the receivership of the Golden Cross mines was again postponed, to the 31st inst., pending word from the Supreme Court in the suit which is brought to prevent Judge Torrance paying attorneys' fees recently allowed by him in the Golden Cross litigation.

REAL PROHIBITION.

Rev. Dr. W. F. Berry, many years secretary of the Maine Civic League, and who has been attending the Methodist conference at Los Angeles, addressed a mass meeting yesterday at the First Methodist Episcopal Church on "What Prohibition Has Done for Maine." He declared the law is rigidly enforced in ten out of the sixteen counties, and partially so in the other six.

GRANT BUYS BLOCK.

The records show the transfer from H. H. Bancroft to U. S. Grant of the Bancroft Block, so called, bounded by Third and Fourth and B and C streets, opposite the Isis Theater. A nominal consideration is named in the deed, although the price is understood to have been $31,000.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Bishop to Lecture.

Bishop McCabe will give his great lecture on "Libby Prison" tonight in the Boyle Heights Methodist Church.

Shakespearean Recital.

Marshal Darmch, the Shakespearean reader will give the "Merchant of Venice" this evening at the Father Meyer Memorial Hall, St. Vincent's College, and on Thursday evening at this place he will give "Julius Caesar."

Rathbone Sisters.

Purity Temple of the Rathbone Sisters give a public reception at Pythian Castle Saturday evening. Mrs. George B. Shaffer, Most Excellent Chief, presided. A programme was presented which included a solo by Prof. Kolf, a reading by George B. Shaffer and a drill by a degree team.

Free Men Demanded.

Non-union lathers report that jobs are piling up ahead of them until only the swiftest can see their way out. Since the union demand for an additional 50 cents per thousand it is said that there has been a marked falling off in the demand for union workmen, and a call for non-unionists far in excess of the supply.

Baker University Luncheon.

The alumni, former students and friends of Baker University and their wives will have luncheon together at the Hollenbeck this noon immediately upon the adjournment of the morning session of the conference. Dr. W. A. Quayle of Kansas City and Dr. E. M. Randall of the University of Puget Sound will be guests of honor.

Reception to Delegates.

The Los Angeles Woman's Christian Temperance Unions will give a reception to the delegates to the General Conference and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers from 10 to 4 o'clock tomorrow at the Temperance Temple. The speakers will be Dr. Samuel Dickey, Bishop Fitzgerald, Dr. Joseph Berry, Rev. A. B. Leonard and Mrs. C. H. Richards.

Bankrupt Fruit Man.

Henry T. Wimberly, a Redlands horticulturist, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday in the United States court. A judgment and costs secured against Wimberly by the Montgomery Fertilizer Company, an Alabama concern, brought about his financial downfall. He owes them $3257.27, and has $30 worth of personal property and $10,000 worth of insurance—which he claims is exempt.

Builders' Exchange.

At the annual meeting of the Los Angeles Builders' Exchange yesterday the following officers were elected: President, W. S. Daubenspeck; first vice-president, J. F. Hall; second vice-president, P. J. Bolin; third vice-president, Elijah Griffith; treasurer, E. O. Simons. The following directors were elected for two years: K. R. Bradley, F. A. Jay, D. J. Finnigan, P. McDonald and John Frankland.

To Talk to Nurses.

By the request of the management of the California Hospital Training School for Nurses, Rev. Frank DeWitt Talmage, D.D., will preach the sermon to the graduating class of that institution on next Sunday evening in the First Presbyterian Church, corner of Figueroa and Twentieth streets. An invitation has been extended to the matrons of other hospitals to be present with the nurses under their superintendence.

Court-martial.

Brig.-Gen. Wankowski has ordered a general court-martial of thirteen officers to convene at the Armory Saturday night. So far as any one will admit, there is nobody to be brought before it. Gen. Wankowski says that it is convened merely for the purpose of establishing a standing court to try such cases as may come up in the future. There is nothing in the order to indicate that any particular case is up. The order merely states in the accustomed military phraseology, "for the trial of such persons as may be properly brought before it."

Dun's April Review.

According to R. G. Dun & Co.'s review of Southern California for April, the late-sown barley will make grain and the hay crop while not heavy, will be abundant for home use. The beet growers are planting and a good campaign is anticipated at the factories. Los Angeles county will put in about 10,000 acres to beans, Ventura county, it is expected, will have a much smaller acreage than last year. Walnut trees are setting as if for an average crop. Blight is not showing this year to any marked extent. For the month there were twenty-three failures with liabilities $33,925; assets, $11,522. In the same month last year there were eleven failures with liabilities amounting to $44,212; assets, $27,-917.

Where is Conkling?

Urged by the appeals of a wife who is worried almost to illness, the police department is making every possible effort to locate John B. Conkling, whose home is in Chehalis, Wash., but thus far their efforts have not been successful. Chief Hammel received a pitiful appeal from Mrs. Conkling, asking his assistance, and the circumstances attending the case are such that the Chief at once issued a general order to the police to find the missing man, if possible. Conkling came to Los Angeles for the benefit of his health. Later he telegraphed his wife that he was seriously ill, and asked her to come to him. She was willing to come, but inasmuch as her husband had given no address, she did not know what to do. Then she appealed to the police department.

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Dr. Carradine, evangelist, begins services at Peniel Hall Friday, May 20, preaching daily at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal telegraph-cable office for Mr. J. A. Steigler, A. E. Brock, Fred Asher, Mrs. J. McGugan and R. L. Dunlap.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for F. N. Finney, A. A. Phipps, Joel E. Burger, Hon. Julius Berkey, G. V. Howard, Bert Billings, Mrs. R. C. Grey, M. D. Whitten, George J. Wharton, John C. B. Pellen, Leon Dargin, A. W. Carter, Mrs. P. M. Grehl and Victor E. Kemel.

NO TROUBLE TO GET MEN.

ENGSTRUM STANDS FIRM AND STRIKERS ARE JOBLESS.

Period of "Grace" Expired Yesterday and Men Who Thought He Would Relent, Found Themselves Idle—Willing to Pay Men What They're Worth.

The striking carpenters who had been in the employ of F. O. Engstrum did not return to work at 8 a.m. yesterday, the time at which the period of "grace" allowed was to expire, and now the gates are barred to them.

Mr. Engstrum put other men at work in the strikers' places. He anticipates no trouble in getting all the workmen needed. A good many of those who had quit because the union bosses had told them to, hung about the place before beginning time yesterday morning, evidently thinking that Mr. Engstrum would relent and allow them to go back. But he stood firm, and now they have lost their jobs.

"I am willing to pay every man who works for me all that he is worth," said Mr. Engstrum last evening, "but I cannot consent to paying an inferior workman as much as a competent one.

"A good many of those who have quit are men who have been in my employ for years, and who in working for me have won their way from the ground up. They did not want to quit, and I did not believe that they would quit. But it appears that they saw fit to make themselves the tools of the union leaders, and so now they are out and others are filling the places that they might be in if they had not allowed themselves to be misguided."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Arthur J. Browning, aged 22, a native of New Zealand, and Mary Teresa Small, aged 20, a native of Colorado; both residents of Los Angeles.

Archibald B. Jennings, aged 23, a native of Nebraska and resident of Redlands, and Maude M. Fetter, aged 21, a native of Nebraska and resident of Pomona.

James Malloy, aged 28, a native of California, and Lydia B. Caspari, aged 30, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edward Dobschutz, aged 26, a native of Illinois and resident of Pasadena, and Emma A. Obst, aged 21, a native of Illinois and resident of Belleville, Ill.

Markus Schwartz, aged 41, a native of Hungary, and Mrs. Matilda Fridell, aged 32, a native of Hungary; both residents of Los Angeles.

John G. McFadden, aged 73, a native of Ohio and resident of Lincoln, Neb., and Anna C. Woodward, aged 62, a native of Illinois and resident of Los Angeles.

Henry F. Parkerson, aged 41, a native of Ireland, and Bertie C. Culler, aged 24, a native of Missouri; both residents of Azusa.

William C. Rice, aged 37, a native of California, and Christina H. Forst, aged 27, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

CALLAHAN—At the family residence, No. 470 North Beaudry avenue, this city, May 16, 1904, Stanley, beloved husband of Julia Callahan, aged 45 years, a native of Nova Scotia. Funeral Wednesday, May 18, at 2 p.m., from Cussen & Co.'s undertaking parlors, No. 1123 South Flower street. Friends invited. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

JOHNSON—At Pacific Hospital, Los Angeles, on May 15, 1904, Emeline, wife of H. Albert Johnson, a resident of Booneville, N. Y.

ROGERS—May 16, 1904, at Los Angeles, Cal., Frank Dunphy Rogers, beloved husband of Juanita Austin Rogers, son of John Rogers, a native of Montreal. Funeral Tuesday, May 17, 1904. Interment Rosedale Cemetery. (Montreal papers please copy.)

THOMAS—At Utica, N. Y., May 12, 1904, Mrs. Mary Thomas, mother of Mrs. A. E. Richards of Utica, N. Y.; George H. Thomas and Fred S. Thomas of Los Angeles.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. J. E. Waldeck begs to return her heartfelt thanks to the many friends and acquaintances of Mr. Waldeck, and especially to those of the theatrical profession, for the kindness and sincere sympathy extended in her recent deep bereavement.

B.P.O. Elks.

Funeral services over the remains of our late brother, Frank D. Rogers, will be held at the Elks' Hall at 2 p.m., Tuesday, the 17th inst. All brothers earnestly requested to attend.

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THE SLATE.

ALL Advocate editors re-elected.

Editor of the Epworth Herald—S. J. Herben.

Secretary of the Epworth League—C. B. Mitchell.

Editor of Methodist Review—W. V. Kelley.

Secretary of Sunday-school Union—T. B. Neely.

Secretaries of Church Extension Board—Drs. King and Forbes.

Secretaries of Freedmen's Aid Society—Drs. Wilson and Thirkield.

Secretaries of the Missionary Society—Drs. Leonard and Carroll.

Secretary of the Board of Education—W. F. Anderson.

More than twenty important church positions are to be filled by the General Conference outside of the elections to the episcopacy. From what can be gathered from the various delegates from all sections of the church the slate here presented gives unmistakably at present the leading candidates. There are others—scores of them—who will contend keenly for these honors.

The only places that seem fully assured are the editorship of the Review and the Advocate. All the secretaryships of the benevolent boards depend upon the decision of the conference as to the consolidation of the benevolences. On this question the chances are even. Strong forces are at work to divide the great missionary society with its annual income into two boards, foreign and home, and with the latter to combine the Church Extension Society. In this case Dr. Leonard would be the chief secretary of foreign missions and Dr. King of home missions. If this form of consolidation fails there will be an attempt to unite the board of education with the Freedmen's Aid and call the new board simply the board of education. At its head it is planned to place Dr. Thirkield and have a freedmen's bureau with Dr. Mason in charge.

NEW CANDIDATES FOR THE BISHOPRIC.

Among the men spoken of as fitted by training, experience and character for the episcopacy is Dr. George Edward Reed, president of Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., who was brought out as a candidate yesterday. It now appears that he will stand very high on first ballot.

Dr. Reed was born in Maine, his father being a member of the East Maine Conference. He graduated from the Wesleyan University and entered the Theological School of the Boston University. He joined the Providence, now the New England Southern, conference, serving the Wilmington and Fall River churches, and later the Hanson Place Church of Brooklyn, N. Y.

He succeeded Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley at Stamford, Ct., and then was pastor of the National-avenue Church of Brooklyn. This was followed by a unanimous recall to the pastorate of the Hanson Place Church. Two years later, while serving Trinity Church, New Haven, Dr. Reed was called to the presidency of Dickinson College, now in its 121st year, and in this field of labor he has achieved commanding success.

Rev. Dr. T. B. Ford of Oregon is still another candidate for episcopal honors, suggested yesterday. He is widely known throughout the Northwest, and entered the ministry when 20 years of age. He is a strong preacher and has excellent administrative ability. He was made presiding elder after four years of service in the pastorate, and has served his church in five general conferences.

Dr. Ford is 54 years of age. His recent book on "The Presiding Eldership" is regarded as most timely by some of the bishops and other prominent men of the church.

Two New Candidates for Bishop Brought Out Yesterday.

report to the General Conference of the Committee on the State of the Church. With the exception of omitting the word "promiscuous," where the bishops referred to "promiscuous dances," there is no change in this section, and it reads as follows:

Improper amusements and excessive indulgence in innocent amusements are serious barriers to the beginning of the religious life and fruitful causes of spiritual decline. Some amusements in common use are also positively demoralizing and furnish the first easy steps to the total loss of character. We therefore look with deep concern on the great increase of amusements and on the general prevalence of harmful amusements, and lift up a solemn note of warning and entreaty, particularly against theater going, dancing, and such games of chance as are frequently associated with gambling; all of which have been found to be antagonistic to vital piety, promotive of worldliness, and especially pernicious to youth. We affectionately admonish all our people to make their amusements the subject of careful thought and frequent prayer, to study the subject of amusements in the light of their tendencies, and to be scrupulously careful in this matter to set no injurious example. We adjure them to remember that the question for a Christian must often be, not whether a certain course of action is positively immoral, but whether it will dull the spiritual life and be an unwise example. We enjoin on all our bishops, presiding elders and pastors to call attention to this subject with solemn urgency in our annual and quarterly conferences, in all our pulpits, and on our editors, Sunday-school officers, Epworth League officers and class leaders to aid in abating the evils we deplore. We deem it our bounden duty to summon the whole church to apply a thoughtful and instructed conscience to the choice of amusements, and not to leave them to accident or taste or passion; and we affectionately advise and beseech every member of the church absolutely to avoid "the taking such diversions as cannot be used in the name of the Lord Jesus."

Those who are in favor of striking out the restrictions against the amusements named have no intention of letting the matter rest with this defeat, however, and the chairman of the subcommittee, Judge Hiram Sibley of Ohio, will be joined by others in presenting as a minority report the paragraph 248 with the expurgations as presented yesterday.

If the division of sentiment in the conference as a whole is in proportion to the division in the committee this will precipitate one of the liveliest debates that has yet taken place in this great body of Methodists.

Every inch of the way was fought by both sides in yesterday's committee meeting in the First Congregational Church. There were numerous twists and quirks of parliamentary law brought to bear by both sides, and various substitutes were offered for the report of the sub-committee.

A flood of oratory was let loose in five-minute speeches. The leader of

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AGAINST DANCE AND THEATER.

METHODIST COMMITTEE REFUSES TO LET DOWN BARS.

Will Report for Adoption by General Conference That Part of Bishops' Address Relating to Amusements. Vote Stood Forty-three to Fifty-eight.

If the action of the Committee on the State of the Church yesterday afternoon on the amusement question may be taken as a criterion of the final vote of the General Conference, the church will continue in force the famous paragraph 248 against dancing, card playing and theater going.

By a vote of 58 to 43 the members of the committee decided not to adopt as the first section of its report this paragraph with the section cut out that prohibits card playing, dancing and theater going.

The committee decided to act separately on the two divisions of the subcommittee's report on amusements, these including the paragraph as indicated above, and that section of the address of the bishops which referred to amusements.

The second section was almost unanimously adopted, and thus becomes the

BAREFOOTER WAS SHOCKED.

Thief Foiled by Inventor of Electric Alarm.

Tried to Get Into Houe of St. Claire Perry.

Three Newton-street Raids. Burglar Running.

The "barefoot burglar" was almost scared to death by a new-fangled burglar alarm on Newton street Sunday night, and has not been heard of since. Perhaps he died of heart failure.

When he tried to softly open a window in the house of Arthur St. Claire Perry, the inventor, the thing went off with a hair-raising, furious pendemonium—with a clang-bang of electric bells and the sudden shooting of dozens of blazing electric lights, not to mention divers others tumultuous events of which he did not pause to take stock.

You see he did not know he was going up against a pet hobby of an electrician who has been longing for a burglar these seven years—absolutely famishing for a housebreaker to try his devil machine on.

The machine was feeling savage that night. From the marks of his bare feet on the ground, the barefoot artist must have given one wild leap like a scared kangaroo when he touched the thing off. He is probably running yet.

The man had been out making a series of professional calls on Newton street, which lies off Central avenue between Fourteenth and Fifteenth. Before coming to Perry's he had entered the house of A. L. Schaefer at No. 1334 Newton street, entering from a back window and going through the house. He got a gold watch and chain and a purse containing $5.60 in money.

He stopped again next door to the Perry's, at the house of John Collins, which he entered by means of saw horse and a child's chair, which he found on the front porch, and placed under a side window. He passed through the room where Mr. and Mrs. Collins slept and went through the trousers of Mr. Collins's father who slept in another room. He got only small change.

The side window of the Perry house, No. 1330, looked very near and inviting. He got up on something and tried to lower the upper sash. His finger marks can be seen on the window pane. If there were a Sherlock Holmes in the police department, he might be able to make something of these. Even these are a tell-tale of his fright, for his hands slipped madly down the window, leaving a trail of grease.

The instant he moved the upper pane the burglar alarm began to work. Mr. Perry was awakened by a pandemonium of electric bells, and every electris light in the house was lighted.

He invented this system seven years ago, when the house had been burglarized. Ever since he has been yearning for a burglar.

"My friends," says Mr. Perry, "always gazed with respect at my burglar alarm, but they always asked if it had ever done anything, and I was always obliged to confess with mortification that it never put a single burglar to flight. Now the machine has a really desperate burglar on the run."

Inventor Arthur St. Claire Perry and the House That Baffled the Barefoot Burglar.

WAS IT PICKPOCKET?

Indiana Minister Loses His Purse Containing Considerable Money at Postoffice.

Rev. H. C. Clippinger, D.D., one of the prominent divines in the Southern Indiana Methodist Conference, whose home is at Vincennes, Ind., lost a pocketbook yesterday containing considerable money, and some valuable papers, but whether his loss was the result of the work of a pickpocket is not known. Dr. Clippinger went to the general postoffice to cash a money order, and while there he had occasion to open his pocketbook, which contained in addition to some valuable papers, a check for $49 and two $10 bills. He remembers having laid the pocketbook on the counter, but is positive that he picked it up again. A crowd was there at the time, and it is possible that a deft-fingered pickpocket may have secured the book from his pocket. He reported the matter to the detectives last night. Dr. Clippinger's Los Angeles address is No. 1501 Orange street.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. Bennett of Chicago is staying at the Angelus.

Dr. John McFarland of Buffalo is a guest at the Angelus.

Mrs. G. S. Noble of Carlisle, Pa., is a guest at the Westminster.

Mrs. Eleanor Martin of San Francisco is on one of her frequent visits to Los Angeles, staying at the Van Nuys with her maid.

Alexander Young, proprietor of the Young Hotel of Honolulu, makes a yearly visit to the "States" and is now staying at the Van Nuys with his daughter, Miss May Young.

YOUNG LAWYER WINS A BUDDING ACTRESS.

MARRIAGE has claimed another aspirant for histrionic honors. A year ago, pretty Miss Alice Scott of this city was an ambitious and talented member of a local dramatic club, and dreamed only of the footlights and the adoration of an admiring but general public. One evening, a few months ago, At an entertainment given by Miss Scott's dramatic club, before a chapter of the Eastern Star, Harrison Alexander, a promising young lawyer of this city, beheld Miss Scott for the first time. It was love at first sight with him, and he requested an introduction. It was granted, and the friendship speedily ripened into a deeper feeling. This morning, at 7 o'clock, at the home of the bride's father, Miss Scott and Mr. Alexander will be married and after a dainty wedding breakfast leave for San Francisco on the early morning train. The bride will wear white chiffon over white silk, orange blossoms, and will carry a bouquet of white carnations. Her going away gown will be of dark red silk. The weding will be a very quiet affair, only the immediate relatives being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander will be at home at 830 West Thirty-eighth street, after June 15.

EXPLOSION ROASTS THREE.

CRUEL FLAMES SCORCH MEN IN LOCOMOTIVE CAB.

Oil Flow in Firebox is Turned Off and Then on Without Lighting. Superheated Petroleum Vapor When Lighted Produces Frightful Fire That Envelopes Helpless Men.

By the explosion of superheated fuel oil vapor in the firebox of a big Southern Pacific locomotive at 4 o'clock yesterday morning three men were terribly burned, one of them so badly that he probably will lose his eyesight. The other two are by no means out of danger. All three are at the Sisters' Hospital. They are:

JOSEPH E. M'COMAS, engineer, residence No. 433 Cottage Home street; hair singed off, face and head blistered and eyes burned so the sight may be destroyed.

JOHN F. GREEN, fireman, residence No. 126 South Avenue 18; entire face blistered and neck and ears burned.

B. HINCHCLIFFE, engine inspector, residence No. 129 South Avenue 24; hands and face blistered and hair scorched.

Engine No. 2707 is one of the largest on this division and is used to haul heavy freight trains up the Newhall grade. It was to have taken out such a train at 5 o'clock yesterday morning and had been carefully prepared for the trip. Like most of the big "hog" engines on this division, it is an oil burner.

It is one of the roundhouse hostlers' duties to see that the oil is properly regulated after steam has been raised. Yesterday morning after the engine had a full head of steam and was ready to be taken across the turntable, somebody blundered and turned off the flow of oil. This of course extinguished the fire in the firebox, but the engine remained with steam up and hot. Then somebody again turned on the oil, which poured into the heated firebox, and, coming in contact with the hot metal, generated gas, which filled the firebox, but which gave off no flame.

Engineer McComas and Green, his fireman, mounted the cab and prepared to take the monster out of the roundhouse. The fact that the fire was out was not unusual, but they did not know that the oil was flowing. Hinchcliffe mounted the huge machine to make a final inspection and remarked that McComas had better start his fire. The engineer lighted a piece of waste and threw it into the firebox.

Instantly there was a tremendous explosion, which almost threw the ponderous mass of metal off the track. Flame shot out of the firebox door and enveloped the three men in the cab. McComas had stooped over to throw in the burning waste and he caught the full force of the puff of flame in his face. He was knocked down by the force of the explosion and when assistance arrived he was found lying against the tank, alongside of which he had been thrown with great violence. He was suffering terribly and could not see.

The others had fared little better, for the flame had enveloped them and the leaking oil catching fire made it difficult for them to get out of the cab, for the engine appeared to be on fire all over. The roundhouse employes went quickly to the rescue and the injured men were taken to places of safety. The oil burned itself out and the only damage to the engine was the burning off of the paint and the straining of some of the working parts.

The three injured men were wrapped in lint and covered with oil. They were taken to the Sisters' Hospital, in this city, where it was stated last night that they were resting as comfortably as could be expected.

McComas is the most seriously burned. His entire head is enveloped in bandages, and the effort of the company's surgeons will be to save his eyes, both of which were touched by the flames.

Who is responsible for the accident has not been determined, but an investigation is being made by the railroad officials.

BEACH LAND DEAL.

Twenty-three Hundred Feet Along the Ocean North of Playa Del Rey Changing Hands.

It is reported that the deal is practically closed by which parties prominently identified with the Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad Company and with the Beach Land Company are to acquire of the estate of A. J. W. Keating, deceased, and others, the tract lying just north of the Playa del Rey holdings, fronting 2300 feet on the ocean, extending back to a depth of about a mile, and comprising 600 acres of unimproved land; consideration named, about $120,000.

The property is to be handled in connection with the properties of the Beach Land Company, and its purchase will tend to facilitate the development of that resort, and will remove one of the obstacles that has heretofore existed to the building of an electric railway from Playa del Rey to Ocean Park, on or near the ocean front. Preparations for the building of this new extension of the Los Angeles-Pacific trolley line, which were referred to some days ago, are being rapidly pushed, and it is thought that the line will be ready for the cars inside of ninety days.

Lord Curzon, Viceroy of India, and Lady Curzon, arrived in London yesterday and had a great reception. Lord Curzon drove directly to Buckingham Palace, where he had an audience with King Edward.

Gathering of the "Sisters" of the Church—No Dancing Nor Theater-Going

CONFERENCE.

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those who would strike out the prohibitive clause was Judge Gooding, who was given the "merry ha-ha" by his opponents, when he described a church in Ohio where the leading workers in the Sunday-school, the Epworth League and the prayer meeting are people who dance, play cards when they feel like it and have no compunctions of conscience when they went to the theaters.

The general laugh somewhat rolled the judge, and warming up to his subject, he declared: "This is an imperfect statute and implies liberty on other matters not specified in this list. I tell you, brethren, if you refuse to change this, you well know it will not be enforced, and you know it never has been enforced."

During the discussion of the amusement question the gallery and back part of the lower floor were filled with spectators, and frequently there were bursts of applause, although it had been made one of the rules of the body that this feature was to be discouraged.

It was noticeable that every woman member of the committee voted for the retention of the prohibition against the "worldly" amusements.

The sub-committee on Divorce and Social Problems made a partial report, and the matter was set for the order of the day on Wednesday.

The committee adopted the recommendation of the sub-committee on Appointment of Ministers that the bishops be allowed to appoint annually without any time limit any man engaged in the work of any society for the preservation of the Christian Sabbath that is officially recognized by the Methodist Episcopal Church.

NO COLORED MAN TO BE BISHOP.

THIRTY-FOUR CANDIDATES FOR THE EPISCOPACY.

Eight to be Elected, and Coming Sessions Most Important of Conference—Complete List of Aspirants to Bishoprics—Negro May be Chosen for Africa.

Yesterday afternoon the Committee on Episcopacy, under Dr. Buckley's chairmanship, decided to recommend to this morning's session of the General Conference the election of eight new bishops. The Board of Bishops had sent the committee a recommendation that but seven be chosen; but the committee by an overwhelming majority decided to ignore the recommendation and to accept the report of its own subcommittee, which, under Dr. Leonard, had unanimously agreed to suggest eight.

Some of the candidates are losing their enthusiasm since they have learned that two are to be assigned to residences in Eastern Asia and one to South America. The growth of the church in Africa and the very heavy burdens borne by Bishop Hartzell for the past eight years have moved the committee to recommend today to the conference the election of a colored bishop, who will be assistant to the incumbent. Will it be Dr. Bowen of Atlanta or Dr. Camphor, long a successful missionary in Africa? Dr. Bowen is in every respect worthy of a bishopric in America, but the Judiciary Committee will report this morning at 9 o'clock—their report being the fixed order of the day—that the General Conference has no power to elect a colored bishop for the colored conference, inasmuch as bishops must constitutionally be also general superintendents. This committee will further ask that this matter be referred to the church for a vote as to whether consent will be given to so modify the constitution that four years hence a colored bishop may be elected. Today's session will rank as one of the most important of the entire month.

LIST OF CANDIDATES.

Dr. J. F. Berry, Dr. Henry Spellmeyer, Dr. W. F. McDowell, Dr. J. R. Day, Dr. J. W. Bashford, Dr. George F. Bovard, Dr H. C. Jennings, Dr. R. J. Cooke, Dr. George P. Eckman, Dr. David G. Downey, Dr. T. B. Neely, Dr. W. H. Crawford, Dr. L. B. Wilson, Dr. William Burt, Dr George E. Reed, Dr. H. A. Buchtel, Dr. E. M. Mills, Dr. C. B. Mitchell, Dr. Matt S. Hughes, Dr. Edward M. Taylor, Dr. George Elliott, Dr. L. S. Beiler, Dr. F. M. Bristol, Dr. A. B. Leonard, Dr. Robert McIntyre, Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, Dr. W. P. Thirkield, Dr. T. N. Boyle, Dr. W H. Wilder, Dr. C. E. Bacon, Dr. J. T. McFarland, Dr. H. L. Jacobs, Dr. James Boyd Brady, Dr. J. A. B. Wilson.

OTHER CONTESTS.

Assistant corresponding secretary of missions—Dr. H. K. Carroll, Dr. Edward M. Taylor, Earl Taylor, Dr. W. T. Smith and Dr. A. J. Palmer.

Editorship of the Epworth Herald—S. J. Herben, A. H. Lucas, George Trever.

Secretaryship of the Epworth League—C. B. Mitchell, W. H. Jordan, W. P. Ferguson, E. P. Robertson, C. H. Swift.

Western Book Concern—D. L. Rader, W. D. Parr, S. H. Pye, Jesse W. Jennings, Edward Graham.

Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society—M. C. B. Mason, W. P. Thirkield, W. H. Hickman.

Secretary of the Sunday-school Union (in case of Dr. Neely's election as bishop)—Dr. R. R. Doherty, Dr. Schell, Dr. Charles Rhodes.

PHILADELPHIA PROTEST.

VIGOROUS AND POPULAR.

Philadelphia Methodists have proven themselves too loyal to Bishop Foss to hear of his retirement without expressing their indignation at the action of the General Conference. The following telegram was received in this city last night:

"By a unanimous rising vote the preachers' meeting protests against the retirement of Bishop Foss."

To Bishop Foss the following telegram was sent: "The Philadelphia preachers' meeting, representing the entire Methodism of the city and the conference, earnestly protest against your retirement from the active Episcopacy, whether voluntarily or involuntarily. You were never more vigorous in daring for every interest committed to you, and your administration was never more intelligent and popular."

Prominent Deaconesses at the Conference—"Sisters" of the Church.

(1) Mrs. Lucy Rider Meyer, Chicago, the mother of the movement; (2) Miss Lucy Judson, Lake Bluff, Ill.; (3) Miss Isabel C. Leitch, Chicago; (4) Miss Sara J. Gaunt, Detroit, Mich.; (5) Miss Adron, Seattle, Wash.; (6) Miss Harriet Laney, Salt Lake City; (7) Miss Stella Fassett, San Francisco; (8) Miss Emma Newberry, Omaha, Neb.; (9) Miss Clara Brown, Spokane, Wash.; (10) Miss Spicer, Chicago; (11) Miss E. Maxey, Calcutta, India; (12) Mrs. J. B. McIsaac, National Training School; (13) Miss Iva May Durham, St. Louis; (14) Miss E. A. Arms, Great Falls, Mont.; (15) Miss Elsa Hanger, Chicago; (16) Mrs. E. A. Foote, Los Angeles Deaconess Home.

CONFERENCE NOTES.

PRESENT PLAN SUITS THEM.

Chi Ming Lo, Ding Maing Ing, Dr. Ohlinger and Dr. Walker, all of the Chinese mission field, have in hand a petition to the General Conference praying that no missionary bishops be elected for Eastern Asia, but that the present plan be continued with the exception that one of the bishops be made resident in China, thus separating that country from Japan and Korea. The delegates are instructed to use all their influence in opposing the election of missionary bishops.

The sub-committee to hear the evidence concerning the wrong teaching of the Boston University and Garrett Biblical Institute refused to hear testimony paralleling the writings of Tom Payne and Profs. Terry and Mitchell. Rev. Harcourt W. Peck also complains that there is unfairness in the presence of Dr. George Elliott on the sub-committee, alleging that he is a member of the Religious Educational Association, an organization charged with being heterodox in its teachings.

The friends of W. L. Cleveland, secretary of the local Committee of Arrangement for the General Conference, are contemplating an effort to place him on one of the church boards, in recognition of his services.

Dr. J. W. Frizelle of Illinois is mentioned as a candidate for the position of secretary of the Epworth League. He is said to be a fine platform speaker and in every way well qualified for the position.

The friends of Dr. T. B. Neely, the head of the Sunday-school work of the church, were busily engaged in talking up his chances for the episcopacy yesterday. He has led the Philadelphia delegation to the General Conference for the past quarter of a century and is recognized as a man of dignity and great learning.

The Wisconsin delegation is making a strong and united effort to secure the election of Dr. George T. Trever of that State to the editorship of the Epworth Herald. The apparent certainty of the election of Dr. Berry to the episcopacy has put several delegates hot on the scent of Dr. Berry's present seat in the editorial chair.

Rev. Dr. William Burt, who has been for eighteen years in Europe, and who is still stationed in Italy, is the candidate of all the European delegates for the place of Bishop of Europe. His name is supported by a great part of the General Conference, knowing what a great work Dr. Burt has done for the Methodist work in Italy. The Methodist Church has there the most prominent place in the Protestant movement, and the great building in Rome, a result of Dr. Burt's work, is called the Protestant Vatican.

The anniversary of the Epworth League will be celebrated in the Pavilion this evening. The members of the conference who are interested in league work and the Methodist young people of the city are to turn out in force. Seats will be reserved for the members of Los Angeles chapters, who will assemble at First Church and march in a body to the Pavilion. Bishop Joyce will occupy the chair. The singing will be congregational, and the Clarin boys are expected to sing a number or two. The addresses will be delivered by representatives of the league from around the world. The meeting will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

IN SOBER GOWN AND BONNET.

DEACONNESSES OF THE CHURCH AND THEIR WORK.

Experiences of Some of the Consecrated Women at the Conference. They Come from All Over the World—Mother of the Movement is Here.

Not the little brown deaconess, but a study in black and white, is the deaconess of the Methodist Episcopal Church, with sober gown and bonnet, with crisp white collar and cuffs and soft white bonnet strings, with a fine, noble poise, not easily shaken, a clear level look from out the eyes, mirroring an intelligent comprehension of any situation and training and ability to meet it.

She wears no garment of ancient cut, this modern sister of mercy; she bears no outward sign of the cross of the humble Nazarene; but living the holy principles of Christianity, she is soothing with her ministering hands the great throbbing pain of the world.

Fully forty deaconesses are in the city to attend the conference which is now in session, and they are from North, East, South and West, and one representative comes from far-away India; for this institution of the Methodist church this modern interpretation of Wesleyism for women is doing work on every continent—in China, in India, in Africa, in Europe, and, more than all, in America. The mother of the movement, Mrs. Lucy Rider Meyer of Chicago, who first agitated this wonderful avenue of usefulness for the consecrated women of the church, is now in the city, a delegate to the conference. Though begun by her in 1885, the work was not fully recognized by the church until 1888, and now it is one of the powerful branches. Two years of training must the prospective deaconess undergo, and then two years of apprenticeship, after which she is formally consecrated to the work of the bishops, and in most cases she speedily becomes a power.

So many avenues she is filling—in one case she is a teacher, in another she is a nurse in a hospital, in one case she is caring for the world's orphaned children, in another she is an evangelist, helping a minister and enlivening luke-warm congregations; in another she is a missionary in home or foreign lands, a kindergartner, a parish worker, who visits the poor and the distressed, a field worker, such as Miss Emma Newberry of Omaha, who continually gathers funds and supplies for a hospital which this year did $27,000 worth of free work for the helpless.

"I should think you would be lonely here," said someone to a poor, crippled girl, for whom this hospital was tenderly caring, the first tender care she had ever known.

"I shall be lonely when I can stay here no longer," was the reply, and this is only one case in a hundred or a thousand that the deaconess hospitals are helping all over the world.

From the Missionary Training School in Chicago comes Miss Addie Wardle, assistant principal of that institution, which was the first one in the country, and which continually trains and sends out workers throughout the length and breadth of the land. Here they are taught a thorough knowledge of the Bible, of church history, of sociology, and many other things, and many take the course, not to become deaconesses, but to be better church workers and more intelligent and more able to render a reason for the hope that is within them, but the ostensible work of this great school is to train missionaries for city, home and foreign fields.

Miss Iva May Durham, head of the work in St. Louis, where many branches are being pursued, tells of the especial activity just now of the "traveler's aid" department, made necessary by the crowds of people who have come to attend the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. Three deaconesses are working at the great Union Station, and they have their hands full. Here comes a girl, a fresh, rosy-cheeked girl, who looks bewildered by the crowd, and who has a worried, scared look in her blue eyes, as she comes with the crowd that is streaming out of one of th. big gates. Quickly she is spotted by a little figure in black and white, with a little black bonnet and a kindly, reassuring look in her eyes, which causes her advances to be met by a full confession of the girl's evident trouble. She is young, she is innocent, she has had a free ticket and promise of employment from some woman whose address she holds, but she has grown distrustful at the last minute, and fears, she knows not what. The deaconess investigates, she finds that the woman is a notorious woman, too vile to mention, but whom the law had tried in vain to reach, and the address was one that led to the gates of hell. But the deaconess is a power; this one cared for the girl; she secured a good place for Ler, and she was instumental in having the creature who had planned this innocent one's downfall landed behind the prison bars.

An old couple came to the fair the other day, an old couple who had spent many happy years of life together, and had come, Darby and Joan-like, to see the fair, but the husband fell dead at the station. His poor, old wife, helpless as a babe in her trouble was found by a deaconess, all plans were made for her, arrangements perfected, the Coroner called, and after twelve hours' hard work, the poor old lady was accompanied home with her dead.

Miss Stella Fassett is an evangelistic worker from San Francisco, and she tells what a deaconess does who is an evangelist. Miss Harriet Laney is a parish worker in Salt Lake City. Think of what such work must be in meeting and fighting on every hand this insidious blot of Mormonism! Miss Lucy J. Judson, of good, old missionary name, tells of superintending an orphans' home in Lake Bluff, Ill., where there are 115 children, needing mother love and care. Mrs. Eliza Hanger is matron of a home where old people are cared for—and so on until every branch of the deaconess work is represented by those now in Los Angeles.

But here is a mother in Israel, Miss E. Maxey, who for fifteen years has been at the Deaconess Home in Calcutta, India, the home established by the wife of Bishop Thoburn, who was the first head of the institution, but was succeeded by Miss Maxey eleven years ago. Miss Maxey is in this country on a furlough, after the unremitting labor of fifteen years.

Her costume is of gray, and she was greeted on the street yesterday by someone who had seen the deaconesses in India.

"Oh, Miss Maxey," the woman said, "it seems so good to see the gray garb of the deaconess in India." This gray is necessary, because the dust of India makes the black undesirable, and it is too much like the costume worn by the English nursery maid.

There are twenty deaconesses in gray scattered throughout India—one missionary doing zenana work in a village where there is no other white person, dwelling alone in her hut sixty miles from Calcutta.

Miss Maxey's work took her many a Sabbath day to the grog shops, where were many English and American sailors; she prayed with them, she rescued with them, she invited them to have some good coffee at the kitchen of the Home, and when they were too drunk to help themselves, she had them taken to the Deaconess Hospital and cared for until there was a chance to sober and convert them. "Eight men have I seen at one time on the floor of one of these grog shops," said she, "and many have we been able to help back to self-respect and manliness. One of the Eraslan boys at the orphanage in Calcutta had such ambition awakened within him that by his own unaided efforts he has come to America, and is a student at Harvard University."

AMERICA IS NEGRO'S HOME.

HE WILL NEVER RETURN TO AFRICA, SAYS DR. MASON.

The Eloquent Secretary of Freedmen's Aid Society Believes That the Race Problem Will be Solved Satisfactorily, but it Will be by Evangelization, Not by Emigration.

Rev. Dr. M. C. B. Mason, colored secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society, pleased an immense audience at Hazard's Pavilion last night with his lecture on "The Relation of Africa in America to Africa Across the Seas."

The lecturer is physically a typical African; on every feature is written the indelible marks of his race.

In several passages last night he was truly eloquent and received generous and well merited applause, but occasionally he seemed to overreach himself and his efforts were disappointing. However, numerous stories, apt illustrations and good witticisms caused repeated laughter and kept the audience in excellent humor throughout.

Dr. Mason paid handsome tribute to the noble work Bishop Hartzell has done in the African field and declared that he was the connecting link between Africa and America and Africa across the seas.

"Never before in the history of the world," said he, "has there been such widespread interest in Africa as there is today. Like hungry wolves growling over their prey, the nations are struggling for African territory."

He discussed at some length the commercial growth and material prosperity of the Dark Continent, quoting statistics freely to maintain his points. He said that the African trade for the present year is estimated at the enormous sum of $350,000,000.

"The black man," he continued "has had some little difficulties, some little discouragements. But he is the most popular man in the country today. [Laughter.]

"It is said that the negro is all right with the mule or the plow—but in books he wasn't in it.' That's not slang. I have heard it here on the floor of this conference. [Laughter.]

"The negro is the most talked about man in America today. I don't suppose he likes to be talked about so much, but if he keeps his hand in God's hand a better day is before him and all will be well—all will be well by and by. After all these years of unusual hardship the colored man has risen to join his white brothers and sisters in carrying the light to Africa.

"There are those who still advocate the carrying of our race back to Africa. It can never be done. It is impracticable. There are not ships enough in all the navies of the world to perform that stupendous task.

"This is our land. This our home. This our country. Here our dead are buried. Here we have the most sacred ties that mankind can know. We are American citizens. American citizens by birth. American citizens by constitutional enactment.

"In every crisis of the nation we have borne cheerfully and manfully a citizen's duty.

"The race problem will be solved, not by emigration but by evangelization."

BATTLE OF BALLOTS COMING TOMORRO

BALLOTING for the new bishops will begin tomorrow. It will probably require a week's time. Other elections cannot begin until the bishops are chosen, as some of the candidates, failing in their aspirations, desire to hold down their present jobs, and others wish to run for other high offices if they cannot reach the highest. An illustration of this was much discussed yesterday among the delegates in regard to a prominent pastor who was to make a special address Sunday afternoon, and concerning whom several church bulletins throughout the city stated "a prominent candidate for the secretaryship of the Epworth League, and frequently mentioned for the episcopacy." The conference must go slow, so as to accommodate aspirants all the way down the line.

In choosing eight bishops, the plan discussed yesterday most frequently in the hotel lobbies was to unite in electing four on the early ballots—Berry, Spellmeyer, McDowell and Bashford, and thus get these leaders out of the way for the other contestants. The argument was advanced that no one could be elected for many days if all remained in the scramble from start to finish, and that, after "favorite sons" received a complimentary ballot, four leaders would be elected, and thus the field cleared for action for eight or ten who would make a long struggle to win.

This argument is supported by facts and figures that are historic at previous conferences, where a large number were elected. At the headquarters for electioneering last night, it was hard to decide whether Berry, Spellmeyer or McDowell will be elected first.

Dr. Berry immortalized himself years ago, when he proposed, and drew from the conference which at the head of the list, so that balloting would no longer be farce. a very long and keen contest, his withdrawal, Bishops Foss, Hamilton were elected. The has not forgotten this fact, and will now fully demonstrate this successful leader of men's hearts.

At the same conference the vote received the highest number to the two elected, Foss and Spellmeyer. His quiet, dignified voice and presence, in the moment of the present conference a deficit, when many years debt of $30,000 as a result of so far to Los Angeles, and his ability as a preacher and leader have resulted in giving him a claim to leadership. Dr. Berry also at the front. A pleasing speaker, a chaste and genial gentleman of proved executive ability, a large following in all the church which clamors for Dr. Bashford ranks next, Chancellor Day will dispute the place. Dr. Day has not helped the past few days by tacks made by the so-called crowd." It is freely said by delegates that these tactics of the rest of the week against nine and popular preacher will elect him, perhaps head of the ticket. If he is as young as Dr. Day, and Dr. Bashford—then practically of the same age, be a leading candidate. Dr. Jennings, Dr. Crawford, Dr. Eckman, are all good, Dr. Bovard's chances are considered bright.

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"Whatever we do which has shaken to foundation, and midst of the struggle be determined, and dispose of it.

The effect of this ical. Even all cries of "that's vote, vote."

ELEVENTH DAY OF CONFERENCE.

MUST BE NO HEDGING ON AMUSEMENT QUESTION.

Decided Expression Yesterday—Retired Bishops Will Receive Full Salary for Six Months—Buckley Gets Floored and Gets Even—Proceedings in Detail.

The eleventh day of the session of the Methodist General Conference opened in Hazard's Pavilion yesterday with the roses as profuse and fragrant, the orange booth as inviting and free, the officers as fresh and the delegates as alert as upon the first roll call, but it opened with its business fully four days behind schedule time.

It is freely predicted by those in position to know, that the anticipated date of adjournment will have to be "lifted" into the week following May 25.

The reasons for this are the delays in arrival of the pace-makers of the conference, the consequent tardy coming together of the standing committees and the unprecedented importance of the questions engrossing their attention, which has made their reports come tardily to the main body.

The long wrestle of the Committee on Episcopacy in conection with the retirement of bishops, the complicated labors attendant upon the amusement question and the "higher criticism" tangles, have all contributed to the delays.

A strenuous session is one of the certainties from now to the end. It is believed that the discussion of the amusement question alone will occupy at least two days of the time.

With all the delegates in their seats and the galleries crowded, Earl Cranston called the conference to order promptly.

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Another question of order was introduced by Dr. Elliott from the Committee on the Church. It was an effort on the part of the "hedge" on the amendment and divide the responsibility with troublesome Paragraph 248. Dr. Elliott offered a resolution instructing the Judiciary Committee at the earliest possible moment to report to the General Conference the question of the constitutionality of Paragraph 248. Before the floor he stated that the question as to the legality of this section was adopted by the General Conference in terms of membership in the church.

The omnipresent Dr. Buckley was on the floor in an instant to say that he had changed my opinion of the constitutionality of Paragraph 248 since the vote was taken on it in 1872. It has been more than two years, and if it is a question as to its constitutionality or wrong, will think the effort to undermine it should be tried so long. I will not prevail. I hope there will be no effort to evade it, so that the matter may be more profoundly discussed by the General Conference.

This announcement was a surprise to many. Dr. Buckley's amendment was unanimously tabled and the resolution was adopted. Immediately following this action a delegate on the floor moved that the bishops be instructed to limit the speeches of lawmen and half minute speeches. The motion was instantly moved to lay on the table, while he grinned broadly. It was done almost instantly, and the whole body of delegates laughed long and loud.

GRACEFUL ACTION.

The resolution was unanimously adopted to debate keeping the five bishops on full salary for six months, so that they may have time to devote themselves to new conferences in the cities of Los Angeles and San Francisco, and that they all be invited to come to this city to make their headquarters.

THAT VOTE ON BISHOPS.

Official Announcement of the Count on Retirement of the Five.

Official announcement of Saturday's vote of the conference on the retirement of the bishops was made yesterday.

The figures are very different from the fake figures published by some papers Sunday morning, and are as follows:

Andrews, for retirement, 585, against 78.

Foss, for retirement, 530, against 163.

Vincent, for retirement, 585, against 78.

Mallalieu, for retirement, 518, against 145.

Walden, for retirement, 572, against 90.

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COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS CHANGE BE MADE.

Vote of Sixty-three to Fi... the Proposition, ffer Th... sion of Interesting Deb... the Brethren at Variance—... with Carries the Day.

The Committee on Itinerancy de... Monday afternoon by a vote of ... to recommend to the confer... that no change be made in the ... plan of appointing Methodist ... The debate had been most ... lasting three sessions, and ... opportunity was given to ... who had not had the last word. Ch... Fitzgerald was specially fair ...

It followed that the committee ... to represent the sentiment of ... Church, and yet indicates ... there will be no restoration ... limit at present, a strong deb... is precipitated into the con... and, indeed, Dr. Stephens ... Pennsylvania, the leader ... strongly, served notice after ... for the minority report will ...

TWO LEADERS WRANGLE.

The leading speakers were Dr. Be... Judge Snook and Dr. Whitlo... Ohio. They claimed this pri... on the ground that Ohio is ... Methodist State in the Uni... a membership above 300,0... Whitlock, who has the distinct... chairman of the Book Co... made a most impressive a... that undoubtedly won vot... best argument was, "If y... upset the last General Conferen... by a large majority, you sim... place the church into anoth... controversy on this que... without data at hand to d... a wise course. Let us t... long enough to know whet... failure or success."

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He laid large stress upon the ... rules. (1.) There is no de... a return to a limit sufficient ... such action at present. He ... this analysis:

Number of memorials	32
General conferences	17
Sectional conferences	6
Associations	1
Annual conferences	3
Individuals	3
Quarterly conferences	3

as follows:

... limit	10
... limit of three years	6
... limit of four years	1
... limit of five years	3
... limit with a proviso for ... terms for special cases	12
... restoration	6

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TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

INTERESTING EVENTS.

The first business in the General Conference this morning will be the districting of the bishops, which was made the special order for 9 o'clock. A report will also be presented on the amusement question.

The anniversary of the Epworth League will be observed in the Pavilion this evening and will be a rousing event.

Williamette University alumni will hold a banquet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Missionary Café in the old Chamber of Commerce. A social hour in the mission room will precede the banquet.

Dr. Robert McIntyre will deliver his lecture on "Buttoned-up People" in Temple Baptist Church this evening.

Julius Smith, missionary to Burmah, and Bishop Warne of India will speak at the missionary exhibit at 2:30.

The Pentecostal meeting will be held in Temple Baptist Church as usual at 4 o'clock.

Standing committees will meet at 3 o'clock.

HAPPY SPREAD.

DREW ALUMNI BANQUET.

One hundred and ten sat down last night to a banquet at the Hollenbeck to do honor to the name and fame of Drew Theological Seminary. Drs. Cookman and Ferguson and Rev. Messrs. Brown, Pasko, Stevens and Miller were the Southern California alumni who planned the feast. It proved to be one of the special social functions of the conference and worthy of the great school that has sent out thousands of ministers to home and foreign fields, and that has a property and endowment of a value quite above $1,000,000.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Cookman was toastmaster and acquitted himself most admirably. Dr. H. A. Butts, the honored president, was given a great ovation. No man in Methodism is more beloved. His speech was tender and hopeful. Dr. Upham, the senior professor, made a telling speech, characterizing the principles and aims of the school. Bishop Fowler and Dr. Buckley, both trustees, and Dr. Spellmeyer, secretary of the board of trustees, all made characteristic and interesting addresses. A layman, J. W. Pearsall of the Newark delegation, who had recently donated a large sum to the school, was enthusiastically received, and made a timely and helpful address from the layman's viewpoint.

Dr. W. F. McDowell represented the board of education, and Mrs. Clinton B. Fisk the McClintock Association—a band of ladies that has helped educate hundreds of needy and worthy young men for the ministry. Several alumni joined in an "experience meeting," and all hearts were warmed with the memories of the olden days.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Farewell Concert by Ellery's Band.

They have played to us for the last time for many, many weeks, these splendid sons of Italy—and with their going there will be a void in the Los Angeles musical world which will be far more perceptible and disheartening at the end of another week, when the harmonies of that tremendous "Carmen" finale have ceased ringing their magnificent clarion through our very souls.

Tomorrow they leave us, to seek new worlds to conquer—and give them but the opportunity to be heard as we have heard them, and they will come back to us with victory-wreaths that will not only glorify them and their art, but will add new luster to Los Angeles, the "home" they love, the "home" that loves them.

Loves them? Yes, that is not too strong. You would not think so had you heard the very walls of Mason Opera-house tremble last night in the roar of applause and shouted "bravos;" had you seen that great audience linger wistfully in their seats and finally arise only to call and call and call again for Chiffarelli and his artists, amid the waving of handkerchiefs, hats, canes and flowers.

It was an inspiring scene—one that will long be remembered by those on the stage and in the seats. California's choicest flowers banked everywhere in riotous profusion, on the piano, before the footlights and around the music stands of leader and soloists; eloquent wreaths of the dark-hued leaves of the green bay tree laid upon Chiffarelli's leader's stand; the silk banner, all in white and gold, embroidered by loving hands with a wreath of the California poppy in the center; the great house filled with a splendid audience—and from beginning to end one constant ovation for these musicians who have fought and struggled against great odds and who have played themselves into the very heart of Los Angeles.

And in parting we have just this to say to them: They will travel far and wide—but they will miss the spontaneous homage which they have been receiving here, and which they have fairly won. But we shall be waiting for them when they come back in the fall—waiting to give them a reception greater than the farewell, and that is promising much.

Last night's triumph was the culmination of a series of ovations accorded Ellery's Band at Chutes Park during the past few weeks. It was a remarkable appreciation of the genius of Chiffarelli, the director and maker of this band, the power that has brought out the best in each man, and the best in them as an organization. There is no need to add words to the testimony accorded Chiffarelli last night—it is quite sufficient to chronicle what happened. But sharing the glory with him, is the band, without which their leader would be powerless—and Chiffarelli knew it last night, for many times, when called to the front of the stage time and time again, he smiled and waved his hand to "his boys," transferring graciously, generously and properly to them their full share of the appreciation that came welling up from the house.

The programme? Yes, of course—but why go into that subject? If you have heard the band, you know what it can do; if you have not heard it, no words could make you understand what you have missed. Suffice it to say the programme was largely a "request" programme, as follows:

PART I.

March, "Good-by" (Chiffarelli.)
Overture, "Tannhauser" (Wagner.)
Berceuse from "Joselyn" (Godard,) Signori Palma and Curti.
Grand duet, "Norma" (Bellini-Lovregilo,) Signori Decimo and Ferullo.
"La Boheme" Finale Act II. (Puccini,) Signori Palma, Vento, De Natale, Curti and Mancini.

PART II.

"Fantasie Militaire" "In War's Alarms" (Frederick Stevenson,) "With hand on hilt the nation rests secure." (Dedicated to the memory of his friend, Brig.-Gen. P. T. Swaine, U.S.A.
Soprano solo, (a) "Ah, Dry Those Tears" (Del Riego.) (b) "Spanish Serenade" (Von Schmidt,) Miss Adeline Stephens.
"Reed Quartette" (Handel,) Signori Decimo, Donatelli, Scarpa and Vecchio.
Waltz Intermezzo, "Naila" (Delibes.)
"Carmen." Grand Fantasie, (Bizet,) prelude, Habanera, Toreador; introduction, march and Finale Act IV, solos by Signori Palma, Di Natale, Curti and Ferullo.

And for many a day the "Tannhauser," "La Boheme" and "Carmen" numbers will haunt the memory of those who heard them. Perhaps the band has played them as magnificently in the past, but it did not seem so when listening to them last night. Miss Stephens, who has sang many times with the band, was given a very cordial reception, and her first number, "Ah, Dry Those Tears," was particularly good.

And so the curtain fell upon the farewell concert of Ellery's Band of Los Angeles—for that is what it has been named. It fell while the instruments were thundering patriotic music to a great audience, every member of which was on his feet, waving an affectionate good-by which, happily, was but an "auf wiedersehen."

In bidding them good-by it would not be right to omit recognition of the work of Channing Ellery, whose perseverance, pluck and unflagging effort have given this splendid musical organization to Los Angeles; nor would it be fair to overlook the fact that L. Behymer is responsible for the introduction of the band to the Los Angeles public, for he brought the organization here several years ago and is in large measure responsible for its identification with the city.

And so, to Chiffarelli, to his soloists, to his band members individually and collectively, Los Angeles bids godspeed, in the hope and belief that their eastern trip will be everything that they expect it to be; and that they will return to us, as glad to get back as we will be to welcome them.

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Inconsistency.

"Oh, George!" complained the young wife, "it was nearly midnight before you got home last night."

"Well, well!" exclaimed her husband, "you women are so inconsistent. Before we were married you didn't care how late I got home."—[Philadelphia Press.

Time Seemed "Up."

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Jones: Why, he's only been married a year.

Brown: Well, he says it seems like ten.—[Yonkers Herald.

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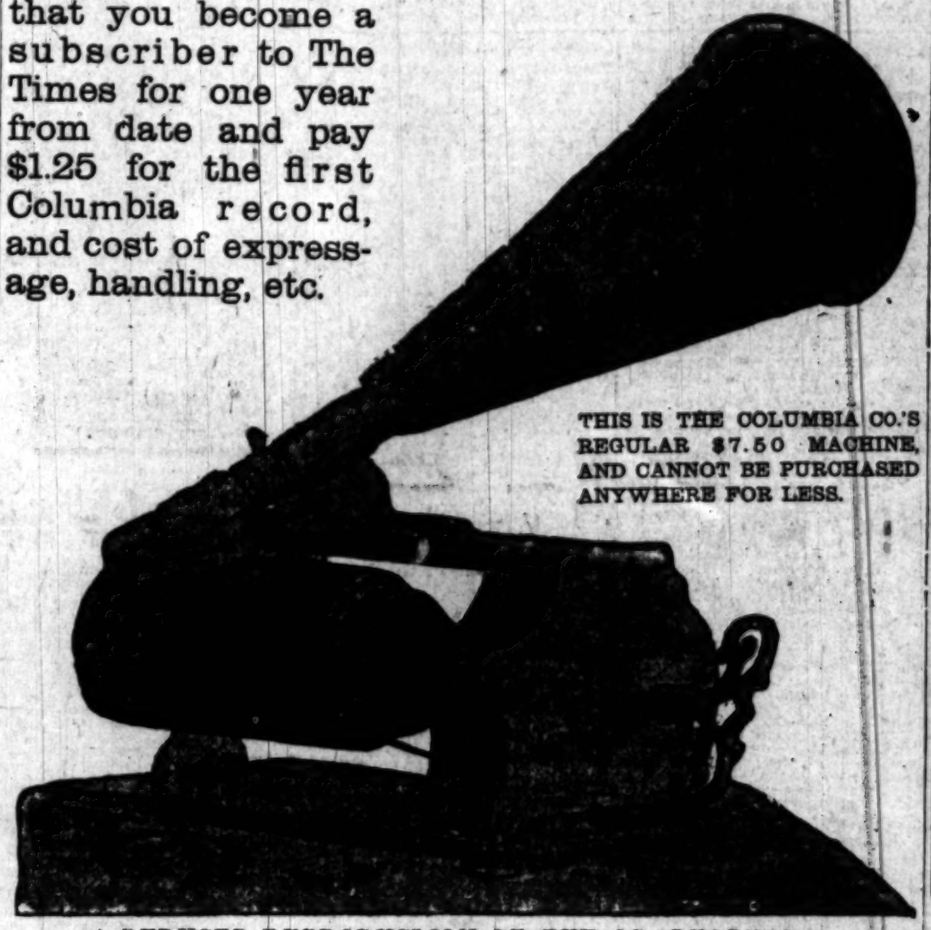

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Bids for construction of the outfall sewer were yesterday opened by the City Council. The best aggregate bid was $666,256.

An ordinance was yesterday passed by the City Council fixing a fee of $3 for permits to carry concealed weapons, and imposing a fine of $200 and imprisonment for ninety days as penalty of breaking the ordinance.

The Council yesterday adopted the report of its Supply Committee that the city enter into a contract with Doran & Co., to supply oil for the streets at 70 cents a gallon.

A hard fight is being made in the probate department for the Peretti minors to save them from their father's guardianship.

The jury in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday gave $6000 as the value of the property sought to be condemned in the suit of the Los Angeles and Pacific against Barkley.

The defense opened yesterday in the Philip Lee murder trial, and so far nothing more serious has been alleged than that the prosecution's witnesses were bought.

AT THE CITY HALL.

OUTFALL SEWER BIDS OPENED,

CONTRACT MAY GO TO LOCAL SYNDICATE.

Prices Higher Than Had Been Expected—May Necessitate Another Bond Issue—Sectional Bidders Make Best Offer—Bid for Tunnel Section Unexpectedly Low.

Sectional bidders yesterday underbid the Los Angeles Construction Company, a coterie of local contractors, $31,744 in the competition for the construction work on the outfall sewer. The sectional bids aggregated $666,256, while the lump offer of the construction company was $698,000. Notwithstanding this discrepancy in price, however, there is a movement on foot in the Council to award the contract to the Los Angeles Construction Company on the ground that the city will secure better and more uniform work if the sewer is built by a single firm.

A. P. Pusian was the only local contractor who made a low bid on the work in sections. His bid of $73,000 on Section Two was the lowest made. Low bidders on the other five sections were as follows: Sec. 1, C. D. Vincent of Oakland, $54,965; Sec. 3, Hansborough & Harmon, $247,500; Sec. 4, C. D. Vincent, $93,367; Sec. 5, Miller & Franklin, Buffalo, $142,000; Sec. 6, Williams & Beiser, San Francisco, $64,787.

The Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Company made a bid of $717,000 for the work as a whole. The Los Angeles Construction Company bid $688,000.

All bids were referred to the Sewer Committee, which will meet Friday morning.

Immediately after the morning session of the Council the Sewer Committee asked City Engineer Stafford whether the advantages to be gained by having the work done by a single contractor would equalize the difference in price between the sectional and composite bids. Mr. Stafford declined to give an immediate answer and last night he was still cogitating. "There is no question but that it would be an advantage to have the work done by a single firm," said Mr. Stafford, "but whether that advantage, which would not be very great, will make up for the $32,000 difference between the bids I am not prepared to say."

Mr. Stafford said that he was somewhat disappointed in the bids. "I had hoped for more favorable estimates," he said. "I expected that the aggregate would be at least $50,000 lower than it proved to be."

Many Councilmen favor the bid of the Los Angeles Construction Company, for the reason that it is composed entirely of local contractors and the money paid out by the city would remain right here. Carl Leonardt last night said that the construction company was composed of the following contractors and firms: Ramish & Marsh, Charles Stansbury, Perry Howard, E. C. Powell and Carl Leonardt.

Bonds in the amount of $1,000,000 were voted a year and a half ago for the construction of an outfall sewer and a system of internal sewers. At that time it was estimated that the outfall would cost $670,000 and the internal system $330,000. Sharp advances in the price of both material and labor have made these estimates fall short. Contracts have already been let by the city for the brick and cement to be used in the outfall sewer. These, it is estimated, will cost $225,000, bringing the cost of the outfall alone to $900,000.

Property owners in the southwestern portion of the city started their clamor yesterday for an additional bond issue of at least $225,000 to build the internal system. They claim that they voted for the sewer bonds with the understanding that one-third of the money would be devoted to the internal sewers and they think that to use all but $100,000 on the outfall, without raising more, is doing them an injustice.

Disappointment was expressed yesterday when the bids were opened that there were not more competitors. City Engineer Stafford said that he had hoped for at least twice the number of bids. One representative of a wealthy eastern contracting firm said that after going over the ground carefully he had decided that it was safest not to bid on the work. His reason was that most of the work will be done at a depth of at least eighty feet under ground, that coffer dams will have to be used to keep the water back and that the contractors will run risk of spending two or three times the contract price in completing a section of the work. "As for taking the contract as a whole," he said, "our firm would not do the job for a million dollars."

A few contractors were skeptical of the ability of Hansborough & Harmon, Philadelphia contractors, to build section three of the outfall for $247,500. This sum is at least $50,000 below any other estimate. The section comprises a tunnel over a mile long under more than seventy feet of water-bearing sand.

Bids for vitrified pipe for use in the storm drain sewers were yesterday opened in Council. The California Clay Company offered the lowest prices on six sizes of pipe, while on three the Carnegie Brick and Pottery Company was low. The bids were as follows: Ten-inch pipe, Carnegie company, 18; 12-inch, pipe, Carnegie company, 22; 14-inch, California Clay Company, 37½; 16-inch, California Clay Company, 47; 18-inch, California Clay Company, 54½; 20-inch California Clay Company, 65 5-8; 22-inch, California Clay Company, 82½; 24-inch, California Clay Company, 83¾; 30-inch, Carnegie Brick and Pottery Company, $1.50. The bids were referred to the Sewer Committee to consider, along with those of the outfall sewer. It is estimated that over $100,000 worth of vitrified pipe will be used in the storm drains.

JOE SIMONS HAPPY.

Joe Simons won an almost bloodless victory yesterday in the competitive bidding for supplying vetrified brick for use in the outfall sewer and in the storm drains. The victory was so unsanguinary, in fact, that Mr. Simons went away from the bidding convinced that he had been "worked."

Simons's nemesis is the Forrester brick syndicate, the corporation that underbid him for furnishing brick for the sewer and storm drains. He thought that their bid was a job and he expected another one in the contest for vitrified brick. "I will make them bid so low to get the vitrified-brick contract that they will lose at least $5 on every thousand they deliver," declared Simons.

He carried out his part manfully, but the other fellows didn't. Result, Simons will furnish the brick at $5 less a thousand than he would have done had he not been laying plots to squeeze the syndicate.

When the bids were opened yesterday a member of the Simons company was on hand to see that his corporation got justice. He looked for some move on the part of the Forrester forces to capture the contract, and he was there to frustrate it. The Simons bid was the first read. That company offered to supply vitrified brick for $17 a thousand. Clerk Wilde next read the bid of the Carnegie Brick and Pottery Company to supply the brick for $22.75 a thousand and turned to other work. The Simons representative interrupted him. "Are there no more bids?" he gasped, leaning far over the rail dividing the lobby from the floor of the Council.

"None," responded Clerk Wilde nonchalantly, as he paused for breath while hurrying through the Board of Public Works report.

REPORT ADOPTED.

RECOMMEND CONTRACT.

Councilman Davenport, while acting as chairman pro tem. of the Council yesterday, almost took the breath away from his confreres and from a bunch of dissatisfied oil men as well, by the adroit manner in which he secured the adoption of his own report on the oil contract.

As chairman of the Supply Committee, Davenport made a report recommending that the Council should enter into a contract with Dorn & Co. to furnish oil in quantity not to exceed 10,000 gallons for 70 cents a gallon.

When this report was read Davenport was in the chair. "If there is no objection," he said, "the report will go to the City Attorney for the preparation of an ordinance and contract.

Councilmen looked on in open-mouthed wonder; the heavy discussions always come in the Council over the adoption of a committee's report. While Minute Clerk Wilde was slipping the petition into a convenient pigeon hole Attorney Carter managed to say: "I came here to oppose that contract. Am I not to be accorded the privilege of speaking?"

"Certainly, Mr. Carter, certainly," suavely replied Davenport. "You will have your chance to speak when the ordinance comes back to us from the City Attorney for passage. There is nothing binding in the action we have just taken."

"But does not this pledge the Council to vote for the contract?" interposed Carter timidly. "This does not look just right to me."

"Oh, it is all right, Mr. Carter. Come back next Monday. Then you will have your chance to speak," said Davenport, with a pleasing smile which left Mr. Carter so bewildered that the Council had passed on to other business before he recovered.

In the Council chamber were oil men and their attorneys who had waited patiently for five hours to get an opportunity to speak on the oil question. They faded slowly away, convinced that something unfavorable to their cause had happened, but not being able to tell what that something was.

The action taken by the Council meant the adoption of the report of the Supply Committee that the city should make a contract with Dorn & Co. for oil at 70 cents a barrel. Next Monday it will be up to the opposition to show the Council why it should rescind its action of yesterday by refusing to vote for the contract and ordinance which the Council itself ordered.

Objection is made by the outside dealers to giving the contract to Dorn & Co. on the ground that there has not been any competitive bidding and that the contract will not be let to the lowest bidder.

NEW COW LIMITS.

COUNCIL MISCELLANY.

Unable to withstand the pleadings of patients at the Sisters' Hospital for the return of the cows that formerly supplied the institution with fresh milk, the Council yesterday rescinded its action of a week ago, when it confirmed the cow limits that cut out the Sisters' pasture by amending the ordinance so as to make a little district all by itself for the hospital cows.

Three weeks ago the cow limits were changed so that the herd of twelve cows kept by the hospital on land near the building were inside the proscribed district. Last week the Council declined to consider a petition to have the wrong righted, but during the interim between the two sessions, Councilmen listened to so many heartrending stories of the wrongs inflicted by the heartless cow ordinance that they made the desired change.

Acting on recommendation of the Police Commission, the Council yesterday created the positions of police sergeant and bailiff and made provision for an additional foot guard and mounted guard for the chain gang. Men will be named to the positions at this morning's session of the commission.

The position of fire inspector in the department of buildings was yesterday created by the Council; the salary was fixed at $115 a month.

For about the tenth time the Council yesterday attempted to pass an ordinance raising the salary of the janitor at the Police Station to $75 a month, and for a wonder the attempt proved successful. Davenport, who had always opposed the rise in the janitor's salary, making no opposition. Six months ago the Council abolished the office of city janitor at the Police Station and gave two police officers a rise of $15 a month each to do the work.

Chairman Nofsiger of the Board of Public Works yesterday denounced on the floor of the Council the slipshod methods used in doing street improvement work by private contract, and declared that in the future this class of work would be watched more closely than any other. He said that the trouble rests with owners of property who would get contractors to do work at a low figure, knowing that it would be inferior.

MANY GO ARMED.

WEAPONS BY THE THOUSANDS.

Discussion over the passage of an ordinance regulating the issue of permits for carrying concealed weapons yesterday brought out the fact that over 18,000 private citizens in Los Angeles have permits to carry revolvers. Under the terms of the new ordinance permits for carrying concealed weapons can only be secured from the Police Commission, each permit will be limited to one year and a fee of $3 will be charged. The fee is expected to add materially to the city's revenue.

This ordinance was passed at the request of Chief Hammel, who is trying to work a reform in the matter of indiscriminate carrying of arms. It requires the person making application to specify what kind of weapon will be carried and the reason for wanting to go armed. Under the former ordinance permission for carrying concealed weapons could be granted by the Chief of Police.

Failure to comply with the terms of the ordinance will be punished by a maximum penalty of $200 fine and ninety days' imprisonment.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

LITTLE ITALY IS ALL UPSET.

INHERITANCE OF THE PERETTI MINORS THE CAUSE.

Their Divorced Father Seeking to Recover the Standing He Lost at the Time of the Legal Separation from His Wife Who Has Since Died.

A family tangle eventuating in a lawsuit, the contest of a will, and a fight for two children are the stirring events that have agitated "Little Italy," and yesterday a crowd of men and women speaking in the soft tones of the Italiano paced the corridors of the Courthouse discussing the matter occupying the attention of Judge Wilbur.

And it all had its origin in a divorce. In June of last year Joseph Peretti began a suit against his wife, Angela, for divorce, on the ground of cruelty. She came back at him with a denial of the cruelty and in her cross-complaint going him one better by alleging inhuman cruelty and adultery. On the trial of the case Angela was awarded the homestead, the household furniture, and was given the custody of the four children, Massino, Filippo, Pasquina, and Giovanni. The father was also ordered to pay to his wife $10 a month toward the maintenance of the children.

It was a complete vindication for Angela Peretti and her adherents were in high glee. But on March 17 last Angela died from heart disease, and a few hours before her decease she made her will, leaving all of her property away from her husband, and appointing her brother, Agostin Marcotti, as executor under the will and guardian of her children.

The estate is not large save in the eyes of these Italian folk, and amounts to only about $1500, but when Marcotti probated the will and applied to the court to be appointed the legal guardian of Pasquina and Giovanni, both minors, a storm of protest arose from Joseph Peretti and his following. He filed a contest of the will and opposed Marcotti being appointed his children's guardian.

So far as the will was concerned he averred that it was made only a few hours before his wife died, and when she was not in a mental condition to know what she was doing. Furthermore, he contended that it never was signed by her and threw in a few more objections as make weight.

Yesterday the case came to trial and then the attorneys for Peretti took water. They said that in view of the fact that the expenses would be largely increased by a contest they would not press the contest of the will—in fact, they would withdraw the contest, but they wouldn't back down on the guardianship end of the fight, for if Joseph Peretti can be appointed legal guardian in place of Marcotti he will have the handling of the funds belonging to the minors and that will be very agreeable.

In the meantime, testimony is being put in regarding the father and reasons adduced why the uncle and nominee of the mother should be shoved aside for his benefit. The case is still on.

HAD TWO NAMES.

RETIRES TO HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Gertrude Joyce was returned to the County Hospital yesterday, and in a week or so will probably have so far recovered as to receive her discharge.

The woman was arrested while wandering around the Sixth-street Park and unable to give any account of herself. Yesterday she told Judge Wilbur that she came from Banning for treatment, and was so ill when she arrived that she went to the room of a friend—Mr. Joyce—and he surrendered his room for the time being to her, as she couldn't do any better in her then state of health. Then when she recovered somewhat she was out walking, and was arrested by the police.

This statement slipped trippingly off the tongue of Mrs. Joyce, and she furthermore explained that she lost her husband only last January, but that it had been assumed that her name was Joyce because she had occupied the room of her friend who bore that name. Her real name, she said, is Seiferth.

Mrs. Van Buren, proprietress of the lodging-house, and also her mother, said that Mrs. Joyce or Seiferth, or whatever name she might really own, had lived with Joyce until the latter had gone away. The woman had looked at the room in the first instance and said her husband would be along by noon. At noon Joyce came along and hung his hat up until his wife proteim, began to show a crazy streak and then he left the place.

GOT HIS FEE.

EDUCATIONAL IN EFFECT.

Frank S. Hutton is one of the clever young attorney who got his sheepskin when the Supreme Court held its last term in this city. Yesterday he got his first case, and the first case marks a red-letter day in the life of every attorney. Hutton says that while it didn't come up to his expectations—quite; yet the educational effect it has had he values far more highly than the fee he earned.

His client meandered into the office and said that he was in a tight place and wanted to know just where he stood. He said that a fellow had sold him a milk and butter route, and had started out to job him. There was no mistake about it, this plain-spoken client said, he had been done to a bright brown and the fellow had fraudulently shoved a business on him that wasn't up to representation by a long way.

Young Hutton had listened attentively to the recital, and when it was completed, looked wise and then delivered himself as if it was a modern oracle that was talking.

There was only one thing to be done in the premises, and that was to bring suit based on the false representations, seek to have the sale rescinded, and make a claim for a thumping sum by way of damages. Having thus laid down the law according to Hutton—and good law at that—the attorney lay back to see how his brand new client took it.

The fellow sat there for a moment rubbing his stubbly chin and ruminating. Hutton thought he was pondering over the profound obscurities of the law, but he wasn't.

"Wal, young feller," he said, rising to his feet, "I guess that's all right; an' I may as well say that I'm the other feller."

With the words the man who had "jobbed" the other fellow instead of being "jobbed" himself planked down a 50-cent piece in front of Hutton, and then stalked majestically from the office.

He had got the straight tip as to what measures his enemy would have to take to get back his money.

CALLED HER "RUBBER."

PARKER FINED BUT DIDN'T PAY.

There is a neighborhood feud on in the Annandale school district, and a day or two ago Mrs. Anna Beddone had G. E. Parker arrested for using profane and indecent language in the presence of women and children.

She was the "women," and there was no children. Yesterday the case was before Justice Young, when Parker said that he and his wife were out working, and Mrs. Beddone came along and stood staring down at them. He called her "rubberneck," he said, and that was all.

The court fined Parker $10, but as $10 looked as big as a house to him, and there was no alternative punishment, he just stood pat and didn't offer to pay. If the county wants the money it can sue for it. Meantime the defendant is back at the old stand, and an additional grievance is added to the standing list between the neighbors at Annandale.

ELLIS GETS FIVE YEARS.

NOT WHAT HE EXPECTED.

There were two charges of grand larceny against a young man who gave the name of Harry Ellis, and the District Attorney was willing if he pleaded guilty to one to dismiss the other. The defendant was willing, but wanted all the pull he could get on his side.

"I'd like to say a few words to the judge before I plead," he said, but he was cut short by the court.

"No, you don't," interposed Judge Smith. "I don't want to hear a word from you until you have entered your plea, you can't make any bargain with the court."

Then Ellis realized that he was up against it good and hard, and must take chances on what kind of a sentence he got. He didn't like it, but there was no way out, and so he acknowledged the corn and pleaded guilty. Then he began to do his little stunt before the court. He was charged with having nipped a diamond stud from the shirt front of Dr. F. M. Lynn in a crowded street car, and was caught red-handed, inasmuch as the "glimmer" was found upon him.

"Well, I haven't much to say," Ellis began, "and because I had the stone upon me, why that's what I was arrested for. I——"

"Well, I infer that you took it," broke in Judge Smith, piping the young fellow off over the tip of his nose glasses.

"But I didn't take it," said the poor innocent defendant, "but I have an old father in the East that is 67 years old, and that I support. I had no money, and no friends, and couldn't defend myself, and I was told over in the jail the best way was to plead guilty, and that I would get off with a lighter sentence."

"Oh," exclaimed Judge Smith, "they think over there—in the building across the street—that it's a good way to get off with a light sentence do they?" and there was a tinge of irony in the tones.

The defendant acknowledged that such was the case. Then the arresting officer told how Ellis had "pinched" the diamond, but this didn't suit innocent Harry.

"If Your Honor please, I wish to state that this man testified that he didn't know if he wore the diamond or had left it in his office; he saw me on the car, and that it was likely that I had taken it, and I was arrested."

The defendant didn't allude to the fact that by a curious concatenation of circumstances the diamond stud was found upon him, and that it didn't matter much whether he nipped it or burglarized the doctor's office to get it—he had it.

Ellis got a five spot for his term, and asked that he be sent to San Quentin, as he had friends at San Francisco who would not be able to make the trip to Folsom. That request was granted.

FORCED TO STEAL.

DUMPED IN STRANGE CITY.

Carlos Lujan, an old young man with a shriveled-up face, was before Judge Smith yesterday to be arraigned on the charge of grand larceny in having stolen a bicycle belonging to D. F. Sheiman. The defendant could speak no English, so Horace Appel was appointed by the court to act for Lujan. He had a few minutes' conversation with his hap-hazard client, and then told the court that the man was willing to make a straightforward confession.

"He doesn't deny taking the wheel," said the attorney, "and says that he was brought through here from Chihuahua on some coal cars, and then dumped out here. He is one of the many men brought here from Mexico that speak no language but their own, and when they can't make their way they drift into trouble."

Lujan pleaded guilty, and was asked if he wanted his sentence at once. He replied through the interpreter that it didn't make any difference; if he was sentenced at once, so much the better. He was hungry, and took the bicycle all right.

The court wanted to know how old the offender was, and said that it was impossible to read anything from a face such as that put up by Lujan. The defendant said that he was born in 1887, and from that it appeared that he could be only 17 years old. He looked more like 37, though his physique was not cast in the same antique mould. The case seemed to be surrounded with some difficulty, and the Whittier school was mentioned.

"It's no use sending him to Whittier when he can't speak the language," said the court, but Lujan butted in long enough to say that he was perfectly willing to go just wherever the court sent him. He smiled, and altogether was the most accommodating defendant that has been before the court for a long time.

District Attorney Fredericks suggested that Lujan withdraw his plea to grand larceny and be allowed to plead to petty larceny, and that would allow for a short jail sentence. That was done, and Lujan was sent to the County Jail for 120 days.

SPLIT DIFFERENCE.

VALUATION OF REDONDO LOTS.

The jury in the Redondo condemnation suit returned a verdict yesterday rather in favor of S. D. Barkley than the railway company. The suit was brought by the Los Angeles and Pacific Railway Company against Barkley, who is proprietor of the Breeze, to condemn five lots at the corner of Diamond and La Alameda for depot purposes.

In the first instance Barkley had asked $10,000 for his property, but the company refused to give more than $3500. There was a deadlock right there, and a jury yesterday in Judge Wilbur's court found that the property is worth $6000.

PRICE'S BAD BARGAIN.

NOW WANTS TO BACK DOWN.

S. W. Price is a man of some means but he objects to his saving being dissipated in bad investments. He was drawn into a purchase by C. A. Judd, with the result that he has now brought suit against Judd and the Title Guarantee and Trust Company to rescind a contract of purchase of "The Judd," a boarding hotel on South Grand avenue. Carl A. Johnson is attorney for Price and tells a queer story in the complaint filed yesterday.

It appears that Judd and Price were pretty well acquainted, and when the hotel man represented to his friend that he was anxious to leave the city on account of his wife's health, he was, at least, sympathetic. But the hotel held Judd down and he didn't know just what to do. Finally he made a proposal to Price. He said that if Price would take the hotel from off his hands he would let him have it at bare cost—the actual cost to him, and count nothing for the good will he had built up. In order to be more than fair he said that his insurance had been paid for three years, and that $1000 he would throw in.

The proposition seemed very fair and considering that it came from a friend Price was inclined to consider the proposition. Judd represented the hotel as being in first rate condition and cost him actually $33,500. In showing him through the place there were a number of rooms that Price didn't see on the ostensible excuse that the tenants would not care to have anyone rubbering about their apartments. Anyway, things appeared to be all right, and when Judd said that the furniture had cost $4500, that the monthly cost of running the establishment was only $114 and the income was $447.50 a month, he believed him.

The bargain was struck and Price went to the Southern California Savings Bank and got a loan of $15,000 and at once paid off a monthly mortgage that was running against "The Judd." He then gave Barker Bros. a chattel mortgage to cover the money unpaid on the furniture, gave a second trust deed to Judd for $7000 and paid to him the balance of $8300 in cash down on the nail. Price was then the full-blown owner of the new hostelry.

Right then he began to discover things. He found that the premises had cost less than $21,000; that the operating expenses of the hotel wer $133 a month, and the income only $537.50. Also that the rooms he had not been allowed to see through consideration for the tenants' feelings were all in very bad condition, with walls badly cracked, roof leaking, etc. As for the furniture it had not cost over $4000, so that in the aggregate the ill health of Mrs. Judd must have been a blessing in disguise if what is alleged is true, for Judd cleared up on the transaction very nicely.

Now Price is asking for a rescission of the sale, and wants the court to adjudge that with the sale off Judd shall assume the $15,000 and the $3000 mortgages, and pungle up the solid cash that Price while laboring under a delusion put down.

But there is a suspicion that Mr. Judd has bade farewell to his friends and acquaintances in Los Angeles.

WANTED MONEY REWARD.

MRS. SEARS'S PRICE WAS HIGH.

Yesterday the prosecution in the Philip Lee murder case put Capt. Auble and Foster Wright, the Mayor's clerk, upon the witness stand to show that the defendant had never been entitled to wear the star of a special officer; and W. Cline, township constable, testified to having appointed Lee a deputy on April 23 of last year, and of revoking the appointment on June 26 of the same year.

Lee had told Kearney to throw up his hands, saying that he was an officer, and exposing his deputy constable's star. The above testimony negatived the idea that the defendant was empowered to act in any official capacity whatever.

J. E. Nichols, an eye witness to the shooting, and one who stood close by, corroborated what the other eye-witnesses had stated, and then the prosecution announced its case closed. The defense at once proceeded to put forward their witnesses.

Six or seven witnesses in succession testified that Kearney told them that he had had trouble at the Berwick and been hit with a "billy," and that he wanted a gun to return there and kill the —— ——. All of these witnesses were either bartenders or waiters. One was recognized as having been under arrest a short time ago for giving a man knock-out drops in Sam Sullivan's saloon.

Then Mrs. Carleton, who runs the Berwick, went upon the stand and said that she had ordered Lee to put Kearney out of the house the night before the shooting. In the details of her statements, however, Mrs. Carleton became rather tangled and she was impeached by the prosecution.

A. M. Morse, who works for the Appeal Bicycle Co., stated that he had sold a pearl-handled revolver to Kearney, but did not deliver it.

Then Mrs. Rivierre, the masseur who has rooms at the Berwick, testified, but the only interesting part of her testimony was when she attempted to discount what had been stated by Mrs. Sears. This last witness had testified for the prosecution and very damagingly for the defendant. Mrs. Rivierre said that the day after the shooting Mrs. Sears told her that she wouldn't go into court and testify in the case unless she was paid $500.

On cross-examination Mr. McComas had lots of fun with this witness, and the current rates offered about town for testimony. He wanted to know whether Mrs. Sears said she was going to get that $500 from himself or from his associate, Mrs. Fleming. He laughed at the witness good naturedly, but Mrs. Rivierre placed her figure so high that the jury laughed, but didn't appear to be much impressed.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

CIGARS AND CANDY. Leonard Hall, a boy just over 16 years of age, pleaded guilty yesterday to burglarizing a grocery store and stealing cigars and candy. He had a companion in the escapade, but Hall was the one captured. With the consent of the District Attorney the proceedings were stayed, and the boy was sent to Whittier during his minority.

CHRISTIE'S TRIAL SET. It was hoped to have the trial of Henry Christie follow that of his associate, Taylor, which was set for June 13. But as Attorney James, of counsel for the defense, will be engaged in other departments up to July 18, there was no alternative but to set the trial for that date. Judge Smith accordingly set apart a week for the Christie trial, dating from July 18. These are two of the defendants charged with having bunkoed the Continental Building and Loan Association out of large sums of money by forging signatures to deeds.

SENTENCE TODAY. G. B. Henry was convicted before Justice Young yesterday of having sold liquor at the Four Mile House, on the El Monte road without a license. He will come up for sentence today.

SENT TO HIGHLAND. C. W. Christie, who has been before the Commission in Lunacy before, was again up for examination yesterday. His curious behavior in court left no doubt as to the man's insane condition. It was shown that three years ago he was sent to the asylum, and though discharged in due course, he never has been himself since that time. His wife, a young and refined little woman, stated that he is only 31 years of age, and working hard to get ahead. Medical testimony showed that his condition was the result of overwork, consequent upon continued

MOURNED HIS WIFE. Kepperle, who is a [illegible] Street Superintendent, was committed to Highland by Judge Wilbur. Nine months ago he lost his wife, and since then has been so unhappy that he is drowned his sorrow in drink, the two he said, into a state of melancholia, and sees her face and hears her talking to him.

ADOPTED BOY. Laura B. Doty of Pomona, the six-year-old son of Sandham and Annie L. Sandham, parents of the boy are living, father being the native of Mrs. Doty.

M'INTYRE COMPLAINT. Yesterday Dr. McIntyre sworo to a complaint charging Alexander Mc[illegible]ick with insanity. It is alleged the patient has been suffering from epileptic fits for years, and has various kinds of delusions.

Cook Lady Assaulted. For hitting the cook at the Country Club with a rolling pin, Mrs. Eugenia Grant was yesterday. Both Mrs. Grant and Fanny Lovett, the cook, are colored women.

Mrs. Grant heard the cook had whipped her boy with the caddies. When Mrs. Lovett came from the club at night Mrs. Grant set upon her and inflicted many severe blows with the lath with which she was trying a nail in it.

Mrs. Grant told the court she didn't mean to hurt Mrs. Lovett. "Why did you go out there for?" asked the court. "I just wanted to consider the matter with Mrs. Grant, diplomatically."

Thieving Sailor. J. C. Young, a sailor, stole tobacco from a Santa Fe freight car at River Station, and was fined $15 in Justice Chambers's court today. He has a pretty [illegible] and was heart-broken over his fall. In confession that he was a thief.

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FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,138,038.60, for the corresponding day in last year, and $917,906.05 for the same day in 1902.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE. The Los Angeles Stock Exchange issued the following daily bulletin:

OIL.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	[illegible]	.20½
[illegible]	.30	.32
[illegible]	.30	....
[illegible]	.14	....
[illegible]	.60	....
[illegible]	1.00	....
[illegible]	.55	....
[illegible]	.12	.13
[illegible]	.05½	.06
[illegible]	....	.05
[illegible]	1.07½	1.10
[illegible]	.95	....
[illegible]	3.15	....
[illegible]	25.00	30.00
[illegible]	....	.09½
[illegible]	27.00	30.00
[illegible]	.12½	....
[illegible]	.01	.02
[illegible]	.01	30.00
[illegible]	.72	.75

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	$77.50	$ 79.50
[illegible]	....	102.50
[illegible]	....	99.50
[illegible]	....	100.00
[illegible]	....	102.00
[illegible]	....	102.00
[illegible]	....	105.00
[illegible]	....	100.00
[illegible]	96.00	100.00
[illegible]	92.50	95.00
[illegible]	98.00	100.00
[illegible]	110.00	112.00
[illegible]	104.00	107.00
[illegible]	....	102.00
[illegible]	....	102.00
[illegible]	....	97.50
[illegible]	....	100.00
[illegible]	100.00	102.00
[illegible]	....	102.00
[illegible]	90.00	100.00
[illegible]	....	100.00

MINING.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	$ .06	....
[illegible]	.17½	.18½
[illegible]	.12	.13
[illegible]	.03½	.04
[illegible]	....	.05
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San Bernardino, Orange and Riverside Counties.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

BRIDE SHOCKED BY THE LAW.

HER YOUNG HUSBAND CHARGED WITH EMBEZLEMENT.

Benjamin F. Frazier and Wife of Marion, Ind., Taken Into Custody at Redlands—He Says It's a Joke or the Work of an Enemy, While She Almost Faints.

REDLANDS, May 16.—Benjamin F. Frazier and his bride of a few months, who had just arrived from Marion, Ind., on a sort of honeymoon trip, were taken into custody in Redlands this afternoon by officers from San Bernardino, who acted upon information received from the police of Marion, charging the youthful groom with the embezzlement of $50. Frazier claims he is either the victim of a practical joker in his home town, or his arrest is the work of an enemy. Beyond this he refuses to make a statement, claiming he is perfectly in the dark.

The bride took the predicament to heart and almost fainted when arrested. Frazier is the son of an extremely wealthy widow, and a graduate of an eastern law college. When the couple arrived in San Bernardino last night he registered under an assumed name, but claims this was to conceal his arrival from friends whom he wished to surprise.

BOILER BURSTS, ENGINEER DEAD.

ACCIDENT AT KLONDIKE SIDING ON THE SANTA FE.

"I'm Going to Die," Said Engineer Ebbutt, the Flesh Hanging in Blisters and Blackened Shreds from His Parboiled Form, "What'll My Poor Wife Do?"

SAN BERNARDINO, May 16.—The explosion of the boiler of Santa Fé locomotive No. 736 near Klondike siding, a few miles west of Needles, last night, caused the death of the engineer, L. S. Ebbutt, who was frightfully scalded, and the complete demolition of the engine.

The accident occurred early in the evening as the engine was coming west as a pusher at the nd of a long freight train. The explosion is attributed to the failing of the crown sheet which let the water from the boiler suddenly rush into the fire box.

J. F. Showalter, fireman, had a very narrow escape. He arrived here with the body of the engineer this morning, the latter having died while on the overland en route to Los Angeles for treatment. Showalter's statement of the accident indicates that he and the engineer knew for some time that the boiler was leaking.

Showalter had just stopped throwing sand into the fire box, and had turned to adjust a cap when the explosion occurred. Instantly the cab was filled with scalding steam. Above the roar of the escaping steam not another sound was heard. Doubling himself in such a position as to shield his face with his arms and breast, the fireman groped to the running-board and threw himself from the train, escaping with a slightly sprained foot. He set about looking for the engineer, whom he supposed had been hurled lifeless fr. . The cab, the explosion having had such force as to wreck the cab and throw the heavy oil tank to the ground.

Running fully 200 feet down the track, Showalter suddenly came upon Engineer Ebbutt, standing, groaning with pain. By this time the train had come to a stop. The engineer's clothing was in tatters. The entire body was cooked, and his flesh hung in blistered and blackened shreds.

When the unfortunate was turned over to Dr. Freeman, that physician instantly saw his life could not be saved, but as a last hope he was placed on the overland, attended by the physician, and started for Los Angeles. At Bagdad, the engineer's wife boarded the train and was accompanying him when death came, shortly after 7 o'clock this morning.

When the train arrived here the remains were taken off for an inquest, which was conducted this afternoon. No light could be thrown upon the cause for the crown sheet falling. The remains of the engineer will be taken to Los Angeles tomorrow.

The verdict of the jury was simply that death was caused by scalding with steam from the explosion.

The Coroner and jury made special effort to discover whether the engine had been tampered with, but Fireman Showalter, who was the only witness, could not satisfy them on this point. He stated that the engineer after the accident exclaimed, "Jess, I'm going to die; what'll become of my poor wife?"

SANTA ANA.

COX READY TO RETURN.

SANTA ANA, May 16.—John P. Cox, the alleged forger who was arrested Saturday evening at Buena Park, notified Sheriff Lacy today that he will waive all right to extradition papers and return at the earliest possible time to Phoenix to stand trial. Sheriff W. A. Cook wired that he will come at once for the prisoner, who is in the County Jail.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The much-disputed opening of Tenth street from Main to Ross promises to come to an early settlement, all the assessments levied having been paid within the stipulated time. The apportioned damages will now be paid and work commenced at once on the opening.

Eldford Eddy and Lottie Dolsen of Los Angeles, each aged 19 years, were granted a license here today and were married by Justice Smithwick in the presence of Courthouse employés.

A daughter was born today to the wife of P. C. Edmunds.

The new ice factory on East Fourth street is rapidly being completed and machinery put in place. Boilers and ice tanks are on the ground and by next month it is expected operations will be commenced.

George Peabody has been appointed Democratic central committeeman for Newport Beach and W. R. Hall for Laguna. Three vacancies yet remain.

The birthday of Miss Edith Buckley was celebrated Saturday evening at the home of W. E. Buckley, with a party.

ANAHEIM.

HEAVY EGG SHIPMENTS.

ANAHEIM, May 16.—Heavy daily egg shipments are again being made from Anaheim, West Anaheim, Garden Grove and Westminster to Los Angeles, nearly five hundred going out each week, on an average.

On account of an accident to the boiler the Westminster creamery has ben shut down the past week, and its milk taken to Bolsa to be condensed.

R. W. Moulton, formerly of San Pedro, has bought the twenty-acre ranch of A. C. Carter, west of town, for $3500.

D. Stark of West Anaheim left Sunday for an extended visit to Germany and Russia and expects to be gone nearly a year.

Mrs. M. Hutchinson of Orange will soon begin the erection of a residence on the property she recently purchased on Claudina street. She will move to Anaheim in the near future.

William Henderson has returned from a trip to New Mexico where he has two rich mines.

Mr. Westover, a newcomer from Kentucky, has about closed a contract for the purchase of the Santa Ana Morning Dispatch and will conduct it as a Democratic daily at the county seat. It is now a Republican daily paper.

ELSINORE.

NOTES ABOUT PEOPLE.

ELSINORE, May 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Keith and family, who recently purchased the James Balfour property on Riley street, have arrived from Long Beach to take up their residence.

Following are arrivals at the Hot Springs Hotel: W. R. Ratliff, Riverside; Rosina Steiles, Anaheim; J. G. Southwell, Whittier; Mrs. W. H. Getz, Los Angeles; William and Frank Klokow, Warsaw, Wis.; George Litchfield, San Pedro; Thomas Jenkins, Los Angeles.

Lake View Hotel arrivals are Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Boswell and son, E. R. Fenerborn, Los Angeles; B. W. Long, San Francisco; C. W. Buchanan and wife, Lynda E. Hayes, Pasadena; C. W. Moss, Clinton, Ky.

Mrs. McCabe and daughter of Pasadent have arrived to remain for some time for the benefit of the health of Mrs. McCabe, who is so badly crippled with rheumatism that she was brought on a stretcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilburn of Lincoln, Neb., who have been here some time for the benefit of their health, have left for other parts of the State.

RIVERSIDE.

CRAVEN QUITS UNDER FIRE.

RIVERSIDE, May 16.—When the County Board of Supervisors met this morning Superintendent Craven tendered his resignation, and it was accepted without discussion. Steps had been taken by the grand jury to throw Craven out of office on a charge of having accepted a rake-off on a county contract, so he retires under fire.

L. D. Copeland resigned as a member of the County Board of Education, giving failing health as the reason. E. T. Boughn of Hemet was appointed to fill the vacancy.

LOCAL RAILROAD RECORD.

SORRY FIZZLE IS STRIKE.

SOLAR PLEXUS BLOW LANDED ON WALKING DELEGATES.

Boilermakers Employed in Los Angeles and Bakersfield Refuse to Stop Work in Response to Order from Union Headquarters—Drunken Rowdies Hurl Rocks.

A solar-plexus blow was landed on the walking delegates yesterday in the Santa Fé strike situation when the boilermakers of Los Angeles and Bakersfield refused to strike in response to an order from union headquarters. The game is clearly lost for the men who have been fighting the open shop, and those who broke their contracts and threw down their tools will sit and bite their finger nails for some time to come.

The order came as a result of the unsatisfactory conference which the boilermakers' committee had with General Manager Wells and Superintendent Shepard Saturday afternoon. No further conferences are on the calendar and no room can be found for any by the officers of the company, and they state that matters will continue as if nothing had happened. As the attempts of the strikers to draw employés of the Southern Pacific and other roads into the conflict have proved futile, the strike is taken to be practically a closed incident, unless the idlers resort to violence as a retaliation for defeat.

The small squad of boilermakers at Point Richmond received an order similar to that served locally, heaved a sigh and reluctantly obeyed, doing so more because of a supposed loyalty to the union than because they were dissatisfied. Their places were quickly filled. The four boilermakers in the local shops who stuck have little to say, but smile and express it in this wise: "We were a bit deaf, you know, and failed to hear the order."

AWAITS THE GANG.

"The Belt Line awaits the construction gang," said General Manager Shindler of the Pacific Electric yesterday in answer to the query: "When will the Belt Line be running?"

"We are aware that there is a time limit on our franchise, but you may say definitely that the system will be completed within that time."

The franchise will expire on August 29. The railroad construction gangs are now busy completing the Glendale line, which at present does not enter the city, but transfers passengers to the Temple-street cars. Probably by July 1 the Glendale cars will be running to the Arcade depot. Residents on the route of the Belt Line are anxiously listening for the sound of the gong and the burr of the trolley wheel and the company says it will come soon. The Board of Public Works has assented to a change in the right of way of the Belt Line whereby the property of H. C. Witmer, over which it was supposed to pass, but for which no franchise had obtained, will be saved from mutilation.

GRIFFITH-AVENUE EXTENSION.

Next Monday the Los Angeles Railway Company will commence the extension of the Griffith-avenue line out Twenty-ninth street. The addition will be from Twenty-ninth and run south to Jefferson, east on Jefferson to Eureka and south on Eureka to Fortieth, over half a mile.

CRIMINAL ROCK HURLING.

The Pacific Electric Railroad Company is on the warpath for some drunken rowdies who threw rocks through cars of the company Sunday night. As car No. 290, in charge of Conductor Brandenburg, swung around the big curve at Schuyler Park on the short line from Pasadena at about 10 o'clock in the evening a rock as large as a man's fist was hurled from the left side of the track through a forward window. So forcibly was it thrown that it passed diagonally across the interior of the car and through a window on the other side at a point higher than its entrance. The car was crowded and the missile narrowly missed hitting passengers sitting in the seats and a man who was standing in the aisle. Splintered glass was scattered about the car and into faces. The conductor was on the rear end and did not stop the car.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, May 16.—The first of a series of three annual debates was held yesterday between the California Polytechnic School and the San Luis Obispo High School, in which the Polytechnic School won. A prize of a loving cup is offered by the High School alumni to the school winning the two debates.

Mr. and Mrs. James Weaver left yesterday for Bakersfield, where Mr. Weaver will attend the Knights of Pythias assembly.

Miss Gertrude O'Leary arrived yesterday from Berkeley to spend her vacation.

Warren Linsheimer returned yesterday from Berkeley.

F. W. Vetterline and Hon. Warren M. John left yesterday for Sacramento to attend the State League and the Republican convention.

Director Anderson and wife of the California Polytechnic School left today for Capitola.

Duke Wilkins of Los Angeles will open a continuous vaudeville show to be known as Duke's Unique Theater, May 22.

VENTURA COUNTY.

WHERE HOBOS DO GOOD.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, May 16.—The hobos have broken about all the available rock in this vicinity, and the city has made application to the Sheriff to have the gang put to work on the streets. The Sheriff agreed, the town authorities to hire a guard, and the old rockpile gang will be immediately put to work on the streets, cleaning, cutting weeds in the gutters, etc. The Sheriff hit upon the rockpile scheme when he first went into office. Enough rock has been broken to patch roads all over the county, and a strip of a mile leading out of the town on the east side has been pretty thoroughly macadamized. The town has been to a great expense in keeping up streets, and the new arrangement will be a long step in the way of economy.

Extensive preparations are being made in Ventura for Memorial Day. Ventura always turns out strong for the proper observance of the day. Hon. E. C. Seymour of San Bernardino will make the address.

No Competition.

The uniform success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the relief and cure of bowel complaints, both in children and adults, has brought it to almost universal use, so that it is practically without a rival, and as everyone who has used it knows, is without an equal.

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NEW FRUITS AND FLOWERS.

WONDERFUL THINGS BY A CALIFORNIA GARDEN WIZARD.

Strand Magazine Writer Describes the Picturesque Accomplishments of Luther Burbank on His Santa Real Estate and What the Results Will be to the World.

[Strand Magazine:] Some interesting new fruits and flowers have been obtained by interbreeding and selection on the California estate of Luther Burbank. Mr. Burbank grows plums and prunes without stones, pure white "blackberries," daisies four inches across, and other wonders of the vegetable world.

The whole thing is more or less a family affair—a marriage between different individuals in the world of fruit and flowers. The so-called plumcot, which we may all be eating with gusto in a year or two, is a result of the happy union between father apricot and mother plum. Those who know the delicious apricot and plum need not be told how much the two look alike, but how differently they taste. The plumcot is, therefore, a distinctive fruit, "as distinct," says its creator, "as if a new fruit had been handed down from another planet." It has the general form of an apricot and the same outside appearance, but is more highly colored than either a plum or an apricot, with a soft skin and a shadowy bloom. It possesses an indescribably delicious flavor. If the public is unable for some time to test this flavor for itself it will be due to the solicitude of the California wizard that no new fruit of his shall leave his hands until it is a finished product. In the gardens near Santa Rosa, where Mr. Burbank lives, there are today growing many of these plumcots, with varying degrees of plum and apricot flavor blended.

In turning out the white blackberry—just ponder over this for a moment and think what those two words mean—Mr. Burbank is said to have applied the Darwinian theory inversely. He kept on selecting berries which, in ripening, did not become pure black, and finally got a bush in which the fruit changed from the green of immaturity to pure white. This involved the examination of some 25,000 bushes several times in several succeeding years. The painstaking energy necessary in such a search is merely suggested by such figures.

His Shasta daisy, which was first exhibited in the window of a San Francisco florist and attracted attention from crowds of people, is a combination of the free-flowering American daisy with European and Japanese species, and is the result of eight years' work in hybridization and selection. The merit of this flower, which will particularly appeal to those of a gardening hobby, is its hardiness. It grows and blooms wherever the oak lives, it is perennial, and has a large blossom of dazzling whiteness, borne on a long, stiff stem that makes the flower very valuable for cutting. As each individual bloom may attain a diameter of over four inches, the effect produced by thousands may be more easily imagined than described.

This making of new flowers, vegetables and fruits is a valuable business. Thirty thousand dollars was paid some years ago for a new carnation, and the value of some of the new hybrid fruits is, of course, higher from the standpoint of practical utility. Of late years much of the best experimental work on fruit and vegetables, we are told, has been done in this country by the Bureau of Plant Industry, in the Department of Agriculture at Washington, the laboratory of plant-breeding under the charge of Dr. Herbert J. Webber having produced many distinct novelties. Says the writer:

"Among the successes may be mentioned a new grapefruit, or shaddock, a cross between the kid-glove orange or tangerine with the ordinary grapefruit. The offspring is about the size of an ordinary orange, has a skin which can be easily removed, and flesh that falls apart as readily as that of the tangerine, with a modified flavor of the grapefruit. To this new variety the experimenters have given the name 'tangelo,' from 'tangerine' and 'pomelo,' the latter being the true name of the grapefruit. Another success is a new orange which grows in a northern climate, yet possesses a palatable flavor. They have grown pineapples with thornless leaves, a distinct boon to the pineapple picker of the future. They have also produced a cherry tree upon which fifty or sixty cherries can be grown in a single bunch. The seedless grape, obtained from the muscat of Alexandria is their handiwork, and was the result of the selection year after year of cuttings from those vines which produced less than the normal number of seeds.

"What men like Burbank and Webber will bring forth in the future one hardly dares prophesy. The possibilities of selection and hybridization are enormous. One may, however, venture far enough to hazard a guess that the seedless fruit and thornless plant are certainties. On the seedless apple experimentalists are patiently at work. If, they say, the banana and the pineapple are practically seedless, and have been so for centuries, why should not the apple be so? The navel orange offers a hint in the same direction, and the pitless prune and stoneless plum show what can be done after excessive labor. There is a fortune in any new seedless fruit."

PUBLIC SHOW OF DIRTY PICTURES.

SOME ATTRACTIONS OF LABOR UNION CARNIVAL.

Sickening Exhibition by a Man-creature in a Pit of Hissing Rattlesnakes—Vile Attractions for Prurient People—Fraud on the Public That Should be Suppressed.

Lurid stereopticon pictures thrown on the almost naked stomach of a woman in a skin-tight union suit is one of the refined attractions of the labor-union street carnival which opened at Fiesta Park last night.

Another of the concessions indorsed by the carnival is one of the rawest collections of dirty pictures ever seen in Los Angeles. They are of the description driven off First street many a time and oft by the police. Their sort may be guessed by the seductive titles, "For Bachelors Only," "Hoochee Coochee Girls," "Fun in a Dressing-room," "How a Woman Goes to Bed," "French Scenes from Real Life," "What the Artist's Wife Saw When She Unexpectedly Arrived." The pictures fit the descriptions.

Another of the concessions is absolutely sickening. Some aboriginal sort of dreadful man-creature sits in the midst of a canvas pit full of hissing rattlesnakes, which coil and rattle in demoniacal fury and sink their fangs in his careless hands. Every now and then he grabs one, head first into his mouth, and sinks his teeth into the writhing, crawly thing; tears it to pieces, throwing it, a quivering, shuddering débris of tooth-mawled flesh, to one side.

Another feature of the show is a half-grown child covered most disgustingly with long hair all over her face and body so that she peers out from under shaggy fur exactly like a Scotch terrier. The mother stands there and watches her child's pathetic shame, while an older sister sells tickets for prurient, rotten-brained fools to see the repulsive sight.

The truth is that this carnival is not a clean, pleasant collection of booths and entertainments run by amateurs and patronized by their friends for the good-fellowship of it. It is, in fact, one of the old "benefit" gags which has been denounced time and again in Los Angeles.

The representation of the Council of Labor is laughable, consisting of one or two booths, perhaps even three or four, with nothing to see in them.

The admission fee is a fraud on the public, because, once inside, there is not a single thing to be seen except the "barkers" for the side shows, wheedling the public into their nets.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

HOLLENBECK—E. R. Shangler, St. Louis; R. A. Cutter, A. E. Miller and wife, San Francisco; H. Schulhoff, Cincinnati; J. R. Wilbur, San Francisco; S. W. Hall, St. Louis; T. W. Farmer, Duluth; C. A. Madewell, San Francisco; J. L. Coy, Chicago; William L. Wilcox, Denver; J. J. Winters, San Francisco; H. E. Elston, Philadelphia; Mrs. F. M. Wall, San Francisco; Mrs. M. A. Fell, G. F. Schroder, A. C. Fell, J. G. English, Peoria, Ill.; C. M. Simms, Dayton, O.; O. H. Grant, Topeka; T. C. Root, Needles; F. Cox and wife, Phoenix; J. A. Wood, Denver; J. R. Chancellor, F. Knell, H. Harris, J. L. Heard, H. B. Rich, San Francisco; H. A. Ross, New York; A. M. Franklin, H. Geering, H. Costello, F. A. Borchard, T. W. Spence, James Snow, F. M. Applegate, San Francisco; C. Conlisk, Chicago; E. E. Leavey, San Francisco; G. M. Dennis, Philadelphia; S. F. Brown, Bakersfield; S. Graves, Memphis, Tenn.

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NATICK—F. D. McClure, Bakersfield; J. H. Platt, Palo Alto; R. R. Brown and family, Fresno; J. N. Fletcher, Tehachepi; A. H. Johnson and wife, Moscow, Ind.; J. B. Contano, Kern; A. Saunders, Charles Saunders, Portland, Or.; R. L. Pine, Nordhoff; Frank Knox, Ventura; Ben Sprague and wife, Santa Barbara; L. D. Connor and wife, Chicago; J. T. Omer, Calexico; G. W. Benton, Phoenix; S. Prearson, Rock Island, Ill.; J. Kespahl, Quicy, Ill.; E. F. Burke, San Francisco; Mrs. E. Murray, Philadelphia; M. J. Murray, Chachella; W. H. Phillips, Seattle; J. G. Price, Douglas, Iowa; J. T. Harris, Phoenix; J. Shroedy, Rockford, Ill.; H. A. Pease, Gallup, N. M.

VAN NUYS—Miss Bard and party, Hueneme; E. O. Ray, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank, Cincinnati; C. F. Allison, Oxnard; Mrs. H. A. Gerdes, Mrs. P. C. Wilson, Howard Holmes, San Francisco; D. L. McLeod, Muskegon, Mich.; C. L. C. Tyran, Merlen, Ct.; Mrs. Eleanor Martin and maid, San Francisco; Alex. Young, Miss May A. Young, Honolulu; Walter N. Riches, Pittsburgh; E. W. O'Toole and wife, James Edwards, New York; Mr. and Mrs. C. Morrow, Master Allen Morrow, Oakland; A. B. C. Dohrmann, San Francisco.

INSTINCT SAVES ANIMALS.

Few Will Eat Poisonous Food Unless It is in Some Sort of Way Disguised.

[Chicago Chronicle.] That animals of every specie can detect poison in food is a well-known fact. Disguised though it may be, the deleterious matter is discovered and instantly rejected unless disguised by artificial means. As a rule dumb brutes seem to have very little sense of taste upon the palate. But carnivorous animals have a kind of "half way" sense between taste and stomach ache which very soon tells them when they have taken poison or anything likely to disagree with them, and nature has kindly arranged that they can get rid of it by the throat with very great ease.

Wolves, tigers, leopards and other carnivora are difficult to poison because of the power which they have of rapidly getting rid of the drug. Lions, on the other hand, are very frequently poisoned, as they eat voraciously and quickly, more like a dog than the other large felidae. It is said that a good many lion skins, especially those brought back by foreign Counts and others from Somaliland, were obtained by the unsportsmanlike method of poisoning carcasses and leaving them for the lions to devour. Cattle, which have no less than four stomachs, are hopelessly poisoned if once they have swallowed a dose, whether in a toxic plant or otherwise. It is this curious arrangement of their interiors which makes it such a difficult matter to give cattle medicine at all.

In common with human beings, animals seem to be affected by poison in certain forms when in a particular condition of health. At other times they can eat the same plant or shrub with impunity. In certain states of health a man can eat pork, lobsters, cockles, scallops and other somewhat risky fods without bad effects. At other times the same edibles would produce on him the effect of ptomaine poisoning. Two persons may eat of the same food at the same time, and, while one is perfectly well afterward, the other may become violently ill. The curious cases of yew poisoning among cattle or horses seem to be somewhat analogous. They will sometimes browse on shoots of yew and take no harm whatever. At other times they are obviously made very ill or die from eating the leaves. They have ever been found dead with the yew fresh and undigested in their stomachs. When poisonous plants are present in any great numbers in herbage it seems quite impossible to prevent cattle from eating them. The "poison veld" of parts of the Transvaal has a particularly bad reputation caused by plants—one of which is said to be a species of tulip, which comes into leaf in the spring.

In addition to the poisons mentioned above the deaths or illness of English cattle have been traced to eating the leaves of laurel, common crowfoot and various other plants of the ranunculous family, wild parsnips and acorns, which are very astringent, and also, it is believed, to their eating woody nightshade. The keeping of a goat with cattle may possibly be beneficial, because goats eat by choice and with impunity plants which are injurious to cows.

Birds seem to have no discrimination whatever in regard to poisons, probably because they have almost no sense of smell and swallow their food without masticating it. They are terrified to paralysis by the appearance of a poisonous snake (unless the terror be due to dread of the appearance of the serpent rather than to an inherited knowledge of its venomous power), but such intelligent birds as rooks will pick up and eat poisoned grain, and crows and ravens readily eat poisoned eggs or meat. Chickens will eat the poisonous seeds of the laburnum and die from the effects. Whether birds such as tits and greenfinches ever do so does not seem to be known.

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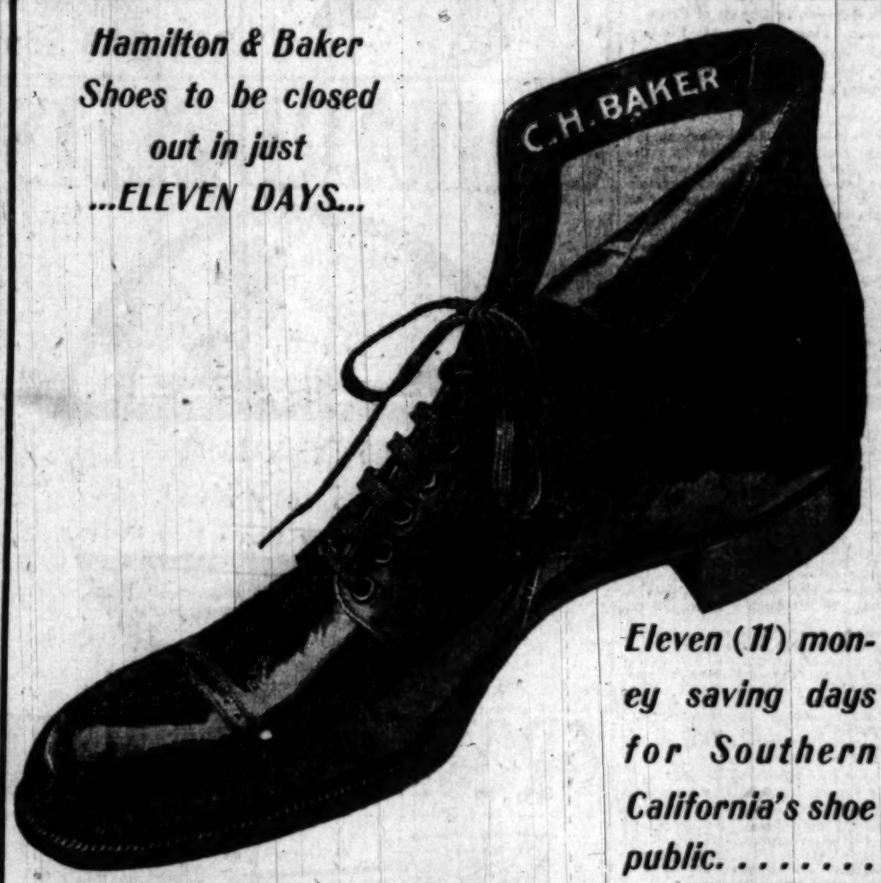

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LAST evening was a gala night for the Ellery Band, for society turned out in full force to bid the splendid organization good-by at the Mason Operahouse. The lower part of the house was filled with parties who have patronized the band faithfully ever since its advent into Los Angeles. Among others who were present were Mr. and Mrs. John E. Plater, who had with them Count and Mrs. Von Schmidt, Miss Waddilove and Mr. Chartiers. With Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Groff were Miss Alice Groff, Miss Dorothy Groff, Miss Frances Groff, Mrs. William Jenkins and Mrs. George Ridenbaugh. With Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Newkirk were the Misses Newkirk, Miss Sybil Conklin. Others seen in the main body of the house were Mrs. Layton, Miss Helen Layton, Frederick Stevenson, whose "Fantasie" was a feature of the evening programme; Mrs. E. R. Prewitt, Miss Eva Prewitt, ex-Senator and Mrs. Stephen W. Dorsey. Hugh Stewart also entertained with a party in honor of his fiancé, Miss Alice Graves.

Luncheon for Miss Van Nuys.

Thursday of this week Mrs. A. H. Nattinger of No. 3636 Portland street is planning a luncheon in honor of Miss Annis Van Nuys. This promises to be an elaborate affair for members of the younger set who have lately come out.

Dinner and Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. William May Garland of No. 815 West Adams street entertained last evening with a dinner and dance given in honor of Miss Margaret Newhall, who is soon to leave for her home in San Francisco. Sweet peas were a pleasing decoration in all the most delicate shades of lavender, pink and red, arranged in large fairy bouquets on the table. In the dining-room and in the den, where tables were set, roses were used in profusion, and handsome candelabra with colored shades added to the beauty of the scene. Corsage bouquets of sweet peas formed charming souvenirs for the ladies, and covers were marked with water-color sketches of delicate flowers. Dancing was enjoyed later in the evening, and Arend's Orchestra furnished the music. In the dancing-room wild huckleberry vines made an attractive setting for the gay scence. On the porches Japanese lanterns were suspended, and dancing was enjoyed here also.

Wade Hampton Chapter.

Wade Hampton Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, gave a pretty reception and dance, last evening at the Woman's Club House. There were an abundance of flowers which transformed the interior into a bower of beauty. The chapter colors, red and white, were prominent in the scheme, roses in baskets and in vases being utilized, and over the deep brown of the pillars asparagus plumosus lovingly clung. Baskets of fluffy ferns and potted plants about the rooms added to the charm of the scene. In the dancing hall the lights were softly shaded with red and potted plants were arranged on the musicians' stand, while about the room asparagus plumosus added a touch of green. Ladies who received were Mrs. E. E. Hawcroft, Mrs. W. R. Gosewick, Mrs. Lutie Sweitzer, Mrs. Mary Hart and Miss Byrda McGaughey. Those in charge of the card room were Mrs. C. C. Rutherford and Mrs. Robert Vaughn. There were a host of pretty southern girls to grace the occasion, and some most beautiful and striking gowns were worn. Altogether the affair was most delightful, and the ladies are to be congratulated on their tast and grace in managing it. A reception was held until 8:30 o'clock, when dancing was enjoyed. Lowinsky's Orchestra furnishing the music.

For Fifteenth Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tilley of No. 2670 North Sichel street entertained on Friday evening in honor of their daughter, Daphne's, fifteenth birthday. The house was elaborately decorated in white and green, roses and ferns being used in carrying out the color effect. The evening was spent in guessing games, Miss Roff being awarded first prize. Games and music were also features. During the evening refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tilley, Misses Millie and Nellie Cortelyou, Christine Nelson, Hazel Griggs, Cassa Ross, Abby Sturtevant, Margaret Stimson, Abby Holgate, Ethel Hait, Adelaide and Margaret Dichend, Alma and Daphne Tilley and Natalie Lynde; Messrs. George Cortelyou, Norman Gilliam, Henry Tilley, Ellis Griest, Harvey Otto, Wayland Ross, George Blind, Will Simpson and George and Andrew Lynde.

Noon Wedding.

Miss Lulu Beatrice Mooser and Charles Van Valkenburg were married at the home of the bride's parents on Saturday noon, Rev. G. A. Hough performing the ceremony. The couple left immediately for an eastern trip, after which they intend making their home in Los Angeles. Mr. Van Valkenburg and his bride are both popular young people of this city.

Annual Fraternity Dinner.

The Los Angeles Alumni and Alpha Upsilon Chapters of the Sigma Chi Fraternity have invitations out for their annual dinner to be given on Saturday, the 25th inst., at 6:30 o'clock at the Hotel Westminster.

"Tacky" Party.

Mrs. W. E. Hutchason of West Washington street entertained on Saturday evening with a tacky party given as a surprise to her husband on his birthday. The invitations were quaint little affairs written on butcher's paper, and the house was transformed into a true tacky abode. Hay was on the floor in piles for the guests to seat themselves on, over the piano a red tablecloth was spread, and Mrs. Hutchason as "Sis Hopkins" was a coy and entertaining hostess. Dancing was enjoyed, and refreshments were served on paper plates, and coffee was in tin cups, and altogether it was a highly enjoyable affair. Some of the costumes were very fetching, while others created an undue amount of merriment. Those who enjoyed the delightful affair were Mr. and Mrs. McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Don A. Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monahan, Mrs. Elder, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Spinks, Mrs. Dent, Miss Esther Dent, Miss Flatter, Miss Florence Judd, Miss Norine Slaughter, Miss Weber, Harry Clifford Lott, Jack Gregg, Walter Reese, Robert Bruce Hayes, Mr. Knox and Mr. Summerfield.

Surprise Party.

The members and families of the Mutual Benefit Club surprised Mr. and Mrs. Rawson at their home, No. 527 Carolina street, on Friday evening. Progressive whist was the game of the evening. Mrs. R. L. Bell and Mr. Winger won the first prises and Mrs. Cooper and Mr. Bowe the second. Mrs. Rawson was presented with a jardiniere and fern as a remembrance of her birthday. Refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Winger, Mr. and Mrs. Borden, Mr. and Mrs. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Christman, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mmes. Cooper, Mitchell, Garrett, Hughes, Christman, Kelly, Misses Borden and June Cooper, Messrs. Bowe, Wallace Cooper, James Garrett and Leslie Cooper.

April Shower Club.

The members of the April Shower Club were entertained on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Luentzel, No. 434 Lake street. The parlors and reception hall were brightened with smilax and roses, and after cards, light refreshments were served. The first prize fell to Mrs. R. E. Sturgeon and the second to Mrs. Scherber.

In Honor of Their Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner L. Ross entertained a large party of their nearest relatives in honor of their son Rugby's twenty-first birthday, on Friday evening, at their residence, corner of Alvarado and Tenth streets. Among other presents received by the fortunate young man was a deed from his father to a corner lot on which a beautiful new cottage was built and finished the day before, and although he had watched it progress to completion, had not known that it was to be his own property. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Will A. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Roseberry, Dr. and Mrs. Will Maiden, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Fectig, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roseberry, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Harris, Mr. and Mrs. H. Leslie Harris, Mrs. E. Allen, Mrs. C. Maiden, Miss M. Fectig and Stewart Roseberry. Cards and music were enjoyed and late in the evening a buffet supper was served.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend W. Cole of No. 1028 Beacon street entertained last evening at dinner in honor of Dr. W. H. Heckman of Indiana and C. C. Lisle of Iowa. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nance and Miss Nance. Flowers were artistically arranged on the table, while the lights were softly shaded with colored silk.

Covers for Twelve.

Dr. and Mrs. Birney Hand entertained on Sunday at dinner in honor of Miss Antoinette Hand, who has just returned from college. Covers were laid for twelve, and the table decorations were pink roses and ferns arranged in a great cluster on a mirror. After dinner there were solos by Miss Ada Marietta Hand, niece of the guest of honor, and also instrumental music.

Notes and Personals.

Prof. D. H. Bowen of Ogdenburg, N. Y., who is one of the oldest Masons in St. Lawrence county, is visiting his grandchildren and daughter, Mrs. M. E. Bowen of No. 2110 Estrella avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Citron will receive their friends on Friday from 2 until 5 and from 8 until 11 o'clock, in honor of the confirmation of their son, Joseph, at No. 1460 Temple street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ancker will be at home on Friday afternoon at No. 1117 Hoover street in honor of the confirmation of their daughter, Vivian.

By mistake it was stated in the Sunday society column that invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Theresa Smith and Fred Maier. The invitations are not out as yet, but the date has been set.

Miss Ethel Lucretia Olcott is to give a concert at Blanchard Hall on Friday evening. She is to be assisted by Miss Pearl H. Hearndon.

Maynard McFie arrived home from Berkeley on Sunday and is at his home, No. 1222 West Twenty-ninth street.

Mrs. F. T. Bovard of San Francisco is the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. W. Sanderson of Hollywood.

Miss Sada Johnson will entertain today with a luncheon for Miss Elizabeth Shankland and Miss Mary Hendrick.

Clarence Osbourne and Miss Edith Osbourne have returned from Stanford University, where they have been attending school.

Young Women of Los Angeles Council, Y.L.I., will entertain next Thursday evening with a dancing party at Kramer's Hall on Grand avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin D. Morrison are stopping at the Albany Hotel a few days prior to their departure for an extended trip to Alaska and the Klondike.

Mrs. S. Kafka has gone to San Francisco for several weeks to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. Huff entertained Miss Carrie Hilton of Cheyenne, Wyo., at luncheon yesterday. Miss Hilton is in the city visiting relatives.

J. Johnston of St. Cloud, Minn., returned Monday morning to his home after a pleasant visit here with his son, Ed J. Johnston of Hotel Lovejoy.

REAL ESTATE DEALS.

Residences, Business Property for Improvement, and Plots for Subdivision are Sold.

George W. Stimson has sold to Mrs. Edward N. Moore, through the agency of Althouse Bros., a handsome fourteen-room two-story frame and cement building, at No. 325 Loma Drive, with lot 100x300 feet; consideration named, $18,000.

Dr. Henry West Hughes and associates buy of the Kerchival estate 100 lots averaging 50x140 feet each, on the east and the west sides of Santa Fé avenue, 800 feet south of Ninth street, unimproved; consideration named, $50,000, and will resubdivide into lots suitable for industrial enterprises. Sale made by Robert Marsh & Co. and A. M. Parsons.

Thomas Higgins has purchased of the Mercy Home 45x125 feet, on the north side of Third street, 155 feet east of Main street, with a two-story frame lodging-house; consideration named, $22,500. Buyer is said to intend building brick business block on property.

A. W. Ryan has sold to Mrs. Emma H. Peery, through the agency of Herbert Peery, 60x165 feet, unimproved, on the west side of Olive street, about midway between Fourth and Fifth streets; consideration named, $18,000. Buyer is said to intend building a modern hotel on the premises.

Mrs. Ada B. Gordon Hedderly is reported to have sold to C. E. Thom 165x180 feet, unimproved, on the south side of Adams street, about 150 feet west of Western avenue; consideration named $15,000.

J. Ross Clark and Robert Hale are the buyers of 91x163 feet, on the west side of San Pedro street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, with frame dwelling of some value; consideration named, $12,000.

W. B. Stewart sells to a local buyer, through W. I. Hollingsworth & Co., 60x165 feet, on the east side of Grand avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets, unimproved; consideration named $12,000.

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MEN OF RAIL CANE CHIEF.

ENGINEERS TENDER GIFT TO A GENERAL MANAGER.

A. M. Schoyer, in Charge of Pennsylvania Lines West of Pittsburgh, Receives Token of Esteem from Iron Horse Drivers in His Company's Employ.

The feature of yesterday among the visiting locomotive engineers was the presentation of a gold-headed cane by the men of the Pennsylvania system to A. M. Schoyer, general manager of the company's lines west of Pittsburgh. The jolly reunion of this master and his men took place at the Van Nuys Broadway at 8 o'clock in the evening. The presentation speech was made by Second Grand Assistant Chief J. C. Curry, his words expressing the loyalty and goodfellowship of the throttle-pullers of that great railroad.

General Manager Schoyer ten years ago was a train-dispatcher for the company and his ability, as shown by his rapid advancement to the responsible position which he now holds, has gained for him the admiration of railroad men. In his happy response he not only thanked the engineers for their handsome gift, but called them each one by name and many of their nick-names as he used to call them when he was a train dispatcher. He is "an old hatch," as the boys put it, and "one of the best." His mother and sister always accompany him on his travels and when he had finished speaking, his mother arose, with tears in her eyes and said, "I am glad to see that you all think so much of my boy."

The cane was marked with a beautiful monogram and bore an inscription. Those present were: J. C. Curry, Charles King, George Wilson, Chester Durnell, William Hood, Frank Johnson, George Darby, D. H. Hunter, Charles Burkett, Samuel Brandt, James Davis, J. T. Burns, S. P. Craig, J. C. McCarthy, Henry Huckel and Harry Bourbeck.

DAY OF RESOLUTIONS.

Only routine business was transacted yesterday at the all-day session of the locomotive engineers. Over 150 resolutions were presented, all of which were referred to the Committee on Constitution and Bylaws.

MRS UPHOF'S FUNERAL.

Yesterday afternoon the simple though impressive funeral services of Mrs. A. H. Uphof of No. 1139 Michigan avenue, Chicago, were held at the parlors of Riedman Meyer & Co.

Mrs. Uphof was born in Buffalo, N. Y., January 19, 1836. She went to Chicago in 1842, and has resided there continuously ever since. Having spent fifty-three years in the great metropolis of the Middle West, Mrs. Uphof was closely connected with the early history of Chicago, where she is widely known.

Mr. and Mrs. Uphof came to Los Angeles about two months ago for a short visit. Soon after their arrival Mrs. Uphof was taken sick and spent most of her visit on a bed of pain at the California Hospital, where she quietly passed away last Saturday morning.

Rev. J. M. Schaeffle, who conducted the services, referred to Mrs. Uphof as a true Christian, a loving and devoted mother, and a worthy, honored friend. She had, said he, that rare trait of making many lifelong friends, and her character was as beautiful as the flowers that covered her casket.

Mrs. Uphof leaves a widower, a daughter and two sons, Arthur, the youngest, having come to this city from Chicago during the illness of his mother.

Presents from Cuba for His Wife.

"Yes, I have just returned from Cuba," said J. G. Connaughton last night. "I brought back with me some nice presents for my wife. What are they? Well, a box of cigars, a fine Panama hat and an old Spanish pipe.

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Mr. Stuart also said that "Billy" was in town a few days ago and he sent him away "on a bust." She declined to say where he went, but added that he will be back in a few days. He has not been home to his wife since the trouble began weeks ago, and has been supporting her, far away. Strenuous efforts are made on the part of the young man's father to get hold of him, she believes, and if she could do so she could undo the alleged spell cast upon him by his mother-in-law. But detectives, lawyers and attorneys were unable to locate Billy, his mother and father, policemen and detectives, and it is alleged, Mrs. Stuart, are also employed. The nearest to a reconciliation was at San Diego, where Mr. Merriam had the boy almost ever when a detective from Los Angeles butted in and spirited him away. That was the last straw, and the monetary relief.

DEATH OF MRS. S. G. REED.

Mrs. S. G. Reed, one of the best known women in Pasadena, died last evening at 10 o'clock from uraemic convulsions dependent on Bright's disease. She had suffered from this disease for several months and had been quite ill for four weeks. Mrs. Reed was 71 years old, the widow of the late S. G. Reed, formerly of Portland, who was connected with the Oregon Navigation Company and became wealthy. The Reeds moved from Portland to Pasadena about ten years ago and Mrs. Reed, after her husband's death, built "Carmelita," on the corner of Colorado street and Orange Grove avenue, one of the show places of Pasadena and famous for its flowers. She leaves no children.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

MA-IN-LAW SUED; JOKE TO HER.

ASSERTED BRIDE OF PASADENA SEEKS MUCH MONEY.

Mrs. William C. Stuart, Jr., Brings Action Against Wealthy Mrs. Stuart Sr., for Seventy-five Thousand Dollars, Claiming Maternal Alienation of "Billy's" Affections.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, 24 South Raymond Avenue, May 16.—Yesterday Male C. Stuart filed in the Superior Court suit against Mary M. Stuart for $75,000. That's the price Mrs. William C. Stuart, Jr., sets on the value of the affection, society, comfort and support which, up to a short time ago, William C. Stuart, Jr., afforded her. The trouble all grows out of the desertion of the younger Mrs. Stuart, which was dealt with in these columns a few weeks ago. The young woman claims she is the victim of an ancient mother-in-law joke, and wants a plaster of greenbacks to make up for it.

The complaint filed yesterday by Attorney J. H. Merriam promises to create a stir when the case comes to trial, as the Stuarts are well known and wealthy. Young "Billy" Stuart,

BILLY STUART.

the cause of contention, grew from boyhood in Pasadena, and his father is said to have used to spend money as freely as came to him in a trunk each year. He built one of the handsomest homes in town, on the corner of Orange boulevard and Columbia avenue.

The complaint filed yesterday alleges that the defendant, Margaret H. Stuart, wife of William C. Stuart, Jr., who is now a resident of Pasadena and has been separated from him for five years. What this trouble with the case does not appear as a point of identification. The story of the legal tale of woe is brief, and his wife were married in the year 1901, in San Francisco, lived together happily until Mrs. Stuart, by acts and blandishments upon her son, and by personal allurements, did wrongfully and maliciously alienate his affections from his wife and induced him to sue for conjugal society and support and abandon her on April 12 of this year, that the mother-in-law, in the complaint, enticed and abducted her son, all of which caused the wife, the complainant, great mental anguish and distress of mind.

"I took this step," said Attorney Merriam yesterday, "only after all efforts had failed. Mrs. Stuart is not sure for the money so much as she is for her husband's affection. All attempts to restore that have been utterly. We believe that a wife and among them are that the bonds of marriage shall not be severed with."

Mrs. Stuart, Jr., who brings the suit, is the Male Coulling when she met in San Francisco. Her father was Frederick Coulling of Cato, N. Y., a prominent business man. Mr. Stuart came here a few days ago, on hearing of his daughter's disgrace, that she was living at the home of Dr. E. J. Beach on Worcester avenue. It is understood the suit is on the advice of the father.

Mrs. Stuart, Sr., against whom the suit is brought, laughed heartily yesterday when told of it. "It's no more than I expected," she said. "From the first I have been misunderstanding the case on the part of the young woman who was the trouble from the all boah about my alienating affections. He hasn't anything about the case at all. I want to see the woman the same as a stranger to us. I don't know much about her now, only married her in San Francisco," Mrs. Stuart continued to dwell on the weakness of the young woman who sued for her elite son, who at first wasn't anywhere near old enough to know better.

Mr. Stuart also said that "Billy" left town a few days ago and that he knew him away "on a business trip." He declined to say where he had gone, but added that he will be back in a few days. He has not been with his wife since the trouble of a month ago, and has been supposed to be far away. Strenuous efforts have been made on the part of the young woman to get hold of him, she believing that she could do so she could undo the evil spell cast upon him by his mother-in-law. But detectives, private attorneys were unable to locate Billy, his mother and the police, policemen and detectives, it is alleged, Mrs. Stuart, Sr., employed. The nearest to a location was at San Diego, where Mr. Merriam had the boy almost cornered when a detective from the east butted in and spirited him away. That was the last straw, and the monetary relief.

DEATH OF MRS. S. G. REED.

Mrs. S. G. Reed, one of the best-known women in Pasadena, died last night at 10 o'clock from uraemic poisoning dependent on Bright's disease. She had suffered from this disease for several months and had been ill for four weeks. Mrs. Reed was 70 years old, the widow of the late S. G. Reed, formerly of Portland, who was connected with the Oregon Navigation Company and immensely wealthy. The Reeds moved from Portland to Pasadena about ten years ago and Mrs. Reed, after her husband's death, built "Carmelita," on the corner of Colorado street and Grove avenue, one of the show places of Pasadena and famous for its hospitality. She leaves no children.

CLOSED OF NEW SCHOOL.

A special meeting of the Board of Education yesterday afternoon the problem presented by the burning of the Franklin school was discussed at length and no definite decision was reached. The board is reluctant to present the matter to the taxpayers until more time has been devoted to thoroughly considering the situation. As it now stands, a new school will undoubtedly be needed within a year somewhere in the northwest section—a school as large as the Franklin or new McKinley. Some favor rebuilding on the old site, others say wait a while and rebuild on a new site, as just at present, by a little crowding, the pupils burned out can be cared for in the Wilson building.

The case of Miss Virginia Pease was settled. Miss Pease, as principal of the Garfield school, thought her duties should not include teaching, and she requested that she be allowed to devote all her time to the management of the institution. The board decided that such a precedent would be dangerous. Other principals would desire to do the same, which would mean an added expense of several thousand dollars a year.

PLUMBERS ARE OUT.

The journeymen plumbers kept their word of Saturday and yesterday refused to work. The helpers, who were placed under the ban of the union dictation, are jubilant. Some of the master plumbers treat the affair as a joke, others bitterly denounce the union and its methods, while all agree that they can get along without the journeymen. The Crown Hardware Company was the only place that swallowed the union's dope. They needed but one helper, anyway, and so agreed not to hire any more. Ed Mayo's shop is non-union, and A. E. Vesper has taken experienced plumbers into partnership with him. The other shops, under the terrible displeasure of the totem worshipers, are those of the Graham-Salisbury-White Co.; Munger & Munger, J. J. Buckius, E. O. Nay & Sons, and Thompson & Downing.

NEWS BITS.

Melvin Anderson and other dairymen yesterday appeared before the County Supervisors in regard to the attempt of residents to declare Anderson's dairy on Catalina avenue a nuisance. A decision is awaited on the question of the "cow" ordinance. H. L. Howard wishes it understood that he is not interested personally in the big fight, but is fighting for the protection of families and to uphold a healthful condition and good morals.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Upton of Pierce, Neb., are visiting Mr. Upton's mother, brother and sister, who reside at No. 440 North Euclid avenue.

Dr. George K. Abbott, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Abbott, of No. 443 North Pasadena avenue, has located at Burbank.

The funeral of Mrs. Clemina Jane Ellis of No. 55 North Orange Grove avenue will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the parlors of Ives & Warren.

The Catholics have purchased a site on North Fair Oaks avenue opposite St. Andrews' Church, upon which they propose to build a $25,000 boys' school. Plans are not yet perfected.

Rev. M. J. McLeod, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, says he has been requested to announce to the ladies that they should wear smaller hats to church, or else remove them during worship.

In order to add to the efficiency of its service and for the convenience of its retail customers, the Pasadena Ice Company has opened an uptown depot at No. 19 North Broadway, where ice in small quantities can be purchased.

Auction of contents of the home of Mrs. G. F. Granger, 707 St. John avenue, Thursday, May 19, at 10 a.m.

Sheer and dainty materials, suitable for graduating costumes in large variety at Bon Accord.

Princess of Japan, finest branded tea in the world. Sold by Kuranaga.

Wigwam has removed to 61 N. Euclid.

Vellum tracing paper at Leonard's. Wadsworth's sells paints.

HOLLYWOOD.

WILL ENTERTAIN ENGINEERS.

HOLLYWOOD, May 16.—The town has retained its gala attire from the boulevard celebration of Saturday to welcome the 600 delegates from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, who will visit her tomorrow afternoon.

The visitors will inspect the De Longpré home and gallery and be refreshed at Hotel Hollywood. A souvenir of Hollywood flowers will be presented to each delegate.

CHOOSE HIGH-SCHOOL SITE.

One of the most important events in the history of Cahuenga Valley occurred this afternoon when County School Superintendent Mark Keppel, Trustees, A. McCormic, George P. Swan, W. F. Hoegee, A. E. DeCamp, A. F. Gilmore, F. M. Chaffee and Principal J. O. Churchill met and unanimously selected as a site for the new $50,000 High School building the six and one-fourth acres located on the west corner of Sunset boulevard and Highland avenue just south of Hotel Hollywood, at a cost of $8000 without the buildings on it. The tract is fine soil, well graded and slopes gently to the south. It affords a fine view of the sea, the mountains, Cahuenga Pass, and the valley. It is improved by curbing, thirty palms, pepper and eucalyptus trees, flowers and lawn.

Being so near the reservoir the water pressure will always be sufficient to afford ample fire protection to the highest point on the new building.

There will be ample room for outdoor sports. Each trustee favored a site nearer his own district, but all united heartily upon this one which is the most convenient for all the union district of any of those proposed. It lies between the car lines in plain view of each and near the pass leading over the mountain to the Lankershim district. The two car lines now in operation with the new one proposed will afford rapid and cheap transportation to the eastern and western districts. The price paid is about $2000 less than was asked one week ago.

WHITTIER.

BACK-YARD REFORM.

WHITTIER, May 16.—This city has clean streets and generally attractive front yards, thanks to the public spirit and good work of the women, and now a back-yard reform is promised. Tonight at the City Council meeting the garbage question was brought up by the Board of Health, which advocates air-tight cans in the city limits, with a means for garbage removal. The recommendation was taken under advisement.

AT REST.

The funeral services over the remains of John W. Jones were held at White's undertaking parlors yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Jones was born in Indiana and moved to Kansas when a boy. He there married Miss Eila Sheeton, one son, Lawrence, being born to them. He came to California last October, in failing health, which culminated in his death Saturday. He leaves a widow and son.

CUT IN TWO BY MOVING TRAIN.

HOW DEATH CAME TO ROBERT GRANT AT ALAMITOS.

Sign of Activity at Site of Long Beach's Commercial Pier—Obstruction in Main Outfall Sewer—Formal Invitation Extended to the Methodist Delegates.

LONG BEACH, May 16.—With his foot caught in a frog today, Robert A. Grant was run over by a freight train in the Alamitos yards and cut in two. He was alive when taken from under the train, but died in a few minutes. Freight No. 152 on the Salt Lake, Conductor Powell and Engineer Hansen, was switching a cut of cars. They were slowing down and Grant stepped in to cut off the air. His heel caught in the frog and before he could get loose he was knocked down and the wheels passed over him just below the trunk. The engineer saw the tragedy. He was terribly mangled, and was dead before Dr. Donnell, the company surgeon, reached him. The remains were taken to an undertaker's to await the arrival of the Coroner. Grant was about 35 years of age, and lived in Los Angeles. He leaves a widow and one child.

NEW PIER ACTIVITY.

There are signs of activtiy at the site of the new commercial pier near Alamitos avenue. The old Duque homestead is being moved to another site, and the many fine palms, banana trees and other tropical plants are being taken out and transplanted around the homes of J. B. and Charles L. Heartwell. Piling and material have been purchased, and are expected here shortly, when the work of construction will begin.

FOR COMMENCEMENT.

Preparations are being made by Superintendent Morgan and the High School faculty for commencement day exercises. The graduating class this year will number seventeen, the largest in the history of the school. A farce is in course of preparation for the commencement exercises, and Rev. Robert J. Burdette will deliver an address. An effort is being made to secure Rev. Dr. Day for the baccalaureate sermon. The class-day exercises will take the form of an extravaganza, patterned after the university class-day exercises, but the subject is not yet selected.

SEWER BROKEN.

Grave fears are entertained that there is a break in the main outfall sewer. The constant sinking of the sewer ditch at a point between Lime and Olive stretis has caused an investigation and an obstruction has been found, but it is not yet known whether the main sewer pipe has collapsed, or the cap of a Y joint left open. The sewer has been accepted and the contractor released, so the expense will fall upon the city. The laterals have not as yet been connected with the damaged portion, so that no inconvenience is occasioned.

DIRECTOR CHANGE.

At a meeting of the Long Beach Marine Band yesterday, Prof. D. W. Douglas was relieved from further directorship of the organization and dropped from the membership. Prof. G. C. Cann of the Seventh Regiment Band directed yesterday's concert, and Prof. S. Spinosi, a member of the Catalina band, will direct at the concerts this week, and may be selected as the permanent director.

BEACH RIPPLES.

Building activity in Long Beach continues with unabated energy. At present there are over eighty houses in course of construction. Most of these are residences, but a church and five business blocks are included. From present indications the improvements will be nearly double those of last year.

Marshal J. J. Conklin has been appointed a deputy sheriff.

Tomorrow evening at the Tabernacle Dr. M. A. Quayle will deliver a lecture on "Hall Caine and His Island," being the second of the lectures in the General Conference course.

A formal invitation has been sent the General Conference by the Board of Trade for the delegates and their wives to visit Long Beach on next Saturday. The visitors will be treated royally and given the keys to the Queen of Chautauqua.

LORDSBURG.

POPULAR PASTOR LEAVES.

LORDSBURG, May 16.—Rev. Martin Shively, who for two years has been pastor of the Progressive Brethren Church, preached his farewell sermon to the largest audience that ever assembled in this neighborhood. It was a union service, the other churches closing out of respect for Mr. Shively, who has been one of the most popular clergymen this town has ever had, he leaves a host of friends here who wish him Godspeed in his new charge at Dayton, O., for which place he left this morning with his family.

Frank H. Massey has been appointed trustee for the Bonita High School for the Palomares district, vice Rev. Martin Shively, resigned on account of departure.

The Laurette Cañon Park Company has many teams at work on its park near the mouth of San Dimas Cañon, drives and terraces are being made, and an immense reservoir built, there being abundance of water. It is expected to have the grounds ready for campers this summer.

William Gillette today caught in a trap in the Laurette Cañon Park an immense badger, which he values not only for its size, but for its perfectly marked black-and-white coat.

EL MONTE.

WATER DEVELOPMENT.

EL MONTE, May 16.—M. Osmund has drilled a 12-inch well on his ranch south of town and a 16-horse-power gasoline engine will be installed. The present development reveals the prospect of a large supply of water.

The barley is being cut. The yield is fair, with prospects of a good price.

The school census marshal's report shows 163 pupils in the El Monte district, between 5 and 17 years of age, and 61 in the Mountain View district.

The California Vegetable Union began packing cabbage for shipping here this week. The crop is fair.

SAWTELLE.

LOCAL NOTES.

SAWTELLE, May 16.—A lodge of the Fraternal Brotherhood has been formed in Sawtelle and holds meetings in Laird's Hall Thursday evenings. The Past President is George Frankenfield; President, C. C. Hayes; Vice-President, William Lowe; Chaplain, Mrs. C. C. Hayes; Treasurer, Mrs. George Frankenfield; Secretary, Mrs. Alma Lowe; O. D. K., Mrs. Wiggins; I. D. K., N. Newton; M. and A., H. K. Laird; Sergeant, H. N. Snyder.

Joseph Lackadoe has a cluster of three strawberries grown together so as to form a heart, the normal diameter being one and one-half inches.

Watson Boyles has sold his property here, preparatory to leaving for the purpose of taking the management of a shell schooner, in which he has an interest.

SIERRA MADRE.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

SIERRA MADRE, May 16.—Mrs. W. J. Barlow and children of Los Angeles are sojourning at their Sierra Madre home.

V. L. Graham was surprised by a visit from his brother from Nebraska, whom he had not seen for many years.

Dr. and Mrs. Lapp and Mr. and Mrs. Bodoin, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson a month, left for their home in New York.

The Arcadia Bulletin, the first paper issued by the new city, made its appearance last week.

Mrs. W. F. Brugman has plans made for a residence on her lot on Laura street.

D. W. R. Pike of Long Beach was calling on friends here today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hensgey and Mrs. Howland and daughter left Saturday for the East.

E. W. Camp, V. L. Graham, J. C. Dickson and Mrs. Stubbins, have been chosen by the Congregational Church as a committee to build a parsonage.

MONROVIA.

TOWN'S BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

MONROVIA, May 16.—This city will be eighteen years old tomorrow and it's going to have a "birthday party. There will be ots of guests in their best clothes. Maypole, games and plenty of good things to eat and drink.

The "coming out" event will begin in the morning when citizens with carriages will be ready to drive visitors about town. Later on there will be public exercises at which, among other features, will be addresses by W. C. Patterson and Fred Smith of Los Angeles. There will be Maypole exercises at which Miss Arline Slosson will appear as the May Queen. A masquerade ball in the evening will conclude the festivities.

EAGLE ROCK.

AN EVENING RECEPTION.

EAGLE ROCK, May 16.—In honor of Miss Hazel Bolton of St. Paul, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Benson gave a reception Saturday evening at Gates's Music Hall. The hall was artistically decorated in roses, ferns and potted plants. A musical programme was enjoyed, after which dainty refreshments were served and later dancing was indulged in. Those present were Mrs. Benson, Reams, J. A. Gates, E. Eckert, H. Lucas, F. Beckwith, J. A. Howard and A. F. Howard; Misses Clara Young, Mary Cooper, Lena Frackelton, Lottie White, Avis Slocum, Kate Rhein, Anna Rheinhart, Myrtle Closson, Helen Rivers, Maud Moore, Hazel Bolton, Mabel Benson, Susia Reams, Flossie Sherman, Mabel Fanset, Misses Reams, Howard and Mabel Myers; Messrs. Phillippie, Will Fanset, Ray and Lyn Murdock, J. A. Howard, H. Lucas, A. F. Howard, L. Gates, Schneider, Reams, Arthur Dickison, Earnest Sherman, Will Young, Fred Eckert, Charles Young, George Rivers, George Young, Justin Closson, J. A. Gates.

DOWNEY.

LEPER PROTEST.

DOWNEY, May 16.—The citizens of Downey and vicinity met in mass meeting to make a formal protest to be presented to the Board of Supervisors as to their action in establishing a pesthouse on the County Farm where lepers will be kept.

A committee of twenty-five representative men was elected to appear before the Board of Supervisors and present the numerously-signed petition. Following are members of the committee: D. Lane, A. Gilhousen, J. Smith, A. L. Ball, T. R. Crawford, L. L. Cohn, J. H. Ardis, Dr. Q. J. Rowley, D. P. Smart, C. H. Eberle, James Quill, C. A. Seay, Dist.-Atty. Fredericks, J. W. McKellar, C. E. Smith, J. C. Rives, C. P. Watts, B. D. Neighbors, S. W. Blythe, F. E. Martin.

POMONA.

ORANGE GROWERS ORGANIZE.

POMONA, May 16.—A local branch of the Kinney Fruit Growers' League was organized here this afternoon, about fifty orange growers being at the meeting, which was adressed by Isaac Naylor and Frank Peltret of Los Angeles. F. A. Molyneaux was elected chairman, and Arza Crabb, secretary of the local organization. A. B. Hill, E. D. Hinman, M. L. Sparks, J. L. Means and G. J. Mitchell were appointed a committee to nominate delegates to a general convention of the league, soon to be held, and Messrs. Means, Mitchell, W. N. Hendricks, F. L. Palmer, M. B. Curtis and S. F. Owen were elected.

CLAREMONT.

PERSONAL MENTION.

CLAREMONT, May 16.—Dean E. C. Norton and his daughter, Miss Katherine Norton, left today to spend a few months in the East. Prof. Norton is to visit at his alma mater, Amherst. Late in the summer, he will sail for Europe with his brother.

Mrs. H. N. Kinney and Miss Selina Kinney have departed for Wellesley, to witness the graduation of Miss Marion Kinney, a former Pomona College girl. Later Mrs. Kinney and daughters will visit in Syracuse, N. Y., and Springfield, Mass., and Winsted, Ct.

Rev. Henry Kingman has left for a ten weeks' trip in the East, where he will visit his mother and brothers in Boston, and a brother in Canada.

SANTA MONICA.

CHURCH IN EXPANSION.

SANTA MONICA, May 16.—At the M. E. Church yesterday the congregation pledged itself to pay $1800 for enlarging the church to meet the increased demands made upon it for more room by a growing Sunday-school. Epworth League officers were installed as follows: President, Frank Hull; vice-president, Miss Adelaide Harrison; C. A. Thinsen, Miss Maud Morgan, Miss Delphina Comstock; secretary, Alfred Porter; treasurer, J. B. McLaughlin.

At the opening celebration of the Sunset boulevard at Hollywood Saturday the speakers all referred to the time when that magnificent driveway shall have been opened clear through to Santa Monica and the sea. The people at this end of the line are in readiness to contribute generously to the enterprise.

The Pirates baseball team of Los Angeles will play the Santa Monicas here next Sunday. The home team yesterday afternoon defeated the Western Drug Company's team in a score of 8 to 6.

M. L. Holland of Omaha has taken the management of the local telephone office of the Sunset company.

Among the beach cottages that burned the other day was the "Poppy," a double tenement and two cottages in the rear. These had recently been bought from E. E. Augst by Harry Duckins of Riverside. The new owner lost houses and contents, had no insurance, and owed Augst a balance of $500. After the fire Mr. Augst presented Duckins with a receipt in full.

The funeral of Lenis, the five-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pfeiffer, who died Sunday, was held this afternoon.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Alfred Porter of Santa Monica and Miss Mabel Morley of Chicago.

OCEAN PARK.

CHILD WANDERS AFAR.

OCEAN PARK, May 16.—Lost and alone all day on the beach was the experience yesterday of the little three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Locke of No. 132 Hart avenue. Early in the day the little one, after playing in the yard, wandered into the street and from the street to the beach. As soon as she was missed the parents began to search here, there, and everywhere. The aid of two detectives was invoked. Meanwhile the child had lost her bearings and wandered up into Santa Monica, where she was taken care of, and the City Marshal notified. It was a happy family that welcomed the return home after dark of the little truant, who had spent a long, weary hungry day alone.

ALHAMBRA.

SCHOOL BONDS CARRIED.

ALHAMBRA, May 16.—The splendid High School pictured in The Times ten days ago will be built. Today at the special election to decide the question of issuing $45,000 bonds there were 145 votes cast in favor and only 16 against. This means a great deal to the Alhambra High School district.

CATALINA ISLAND.

YELLOWTAIL TOURNAMENT.

AVALON, May 16.—Prizes worth $75 are offered for Thursday's yellowtail tourney. The gentleman who donated the entire sum to the Sophia Boatman's Club purposes not to be known, but the boatmen and anglers appreciate his gift just the same.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Northrup chartered the Meteor today and entertained a number of their friends on a picnic at the Isthmus.

D. Putnam Brinley of New York, who spent the entire winter at Catalina last year, is again here, this time accompanied by his young bride, pée Miss Sanger. Mrs. E. H. Brinley, his mother, is also with him. They are the guests of S. D. Bradford.

A party of New York men at Hotel Metropole comprises Haley Fiske, A. S. Knight, B. R. Cowin, F. F. Taylor and F. O. Ayers.

Miss Nina Chapman returned to Avalon today, after an absence of two weeks in Los Angeles, where she was visiting friends.

Mrs. E. J. Elson of Los Angeles is the guest of her sister here, Mrs. Fred Fishbeck.

Miss Edith Starr of Decatur, Ill., this morning, out with Sidney Jehl in a rowboat, landed a twenty-pound yellowtail.

Passengers on the Hermosa this afternoon returning to San Pedro were entertained by a number of whales spouting, one of which came up within a hundred feet of the steamer. A flying fish rose from the water and struck a bee-line for the boat, striking it on the lower deck about amidship. Watson D. Hubbard was struck on the side of the face by the fish, which passed on into the engine-room, where it struck Chief Engineer Talman squarely on the forehead, but he was saved from injury by his cap.

HIS GRANDNEPHEW.

George Washington's Relative to Have Charge of Special Collection of Washington Relics.

[New York Sun:] Lawrence Washington, a grandnephew of George Washington, has just been assigned by the Library of Congress to take charge of the special exhibit made by the institution at St. Louis. Announcement of the assignment and of the fact that Mr. Washington is the closest male relative now surviving of the first President has brought upon him conspicuousness which he does not altogether like.

"I thought I had gotten rid of that long ago," he said the other day. "They used fairly to hunt me down in my home, in my office and even on the street. Nowhere was I safe from the historical story fiends.

"It was a form of persecution most disagreeable to me. However much I may appreciate the public's tributes to my ancestors, that is no reason why I should be robbed of all privacy.

"I have made it my policy not to grant a single one of the requests for photographs. The fact is, I have refrained from having any taken for the past thirty years and not one of me exists now except those taken by friends at my home who were amateurs."

Mr. Washington is considered to bear a wonderful likeness to the first President. The sharp glance of his eye and his broad high forehead with the dignity that expresses itself in his aquiline features are generally recognized as Washington characteristics. The story is told of a certain novelist who used to go to the library regularly and sit quietly in a corner studying Mr. Washington's features.

"It was an inspiration to me," he said, "to watch the face of the one who showed such evident traces of the mental power of the great builder of this Republic and of the man whom I wanted to incorporate in my book with all the lifelike tints possible."

The romance as afterward published is regarded as one of the most popular of those in which the Father of his Country plays a leading part.

Mr. Washington is almost of the identical build of his granduncle. His cheekbones are high and the arch of his brow gives him a keen, piercing look.

The library officials placed Mr. Washington in charge of a special department in which collections of Washington books and autographs are made. Mr. Washington will probably remain at St. Louis during the greater part of the fair.

PLANT'S BANK SHUT.

Southern Institution Fails to Open Its Doors, and One Affiliated Acts Likewise.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MACON (Ga.) May 16.—The I. C. Plant Sons' Bank failed to open its doors today. The First National opened, but later closed, posting a notice that it would not open today, pending the arrival of a bank examiner. No official statement has been given out.

DEBTS SAID TO BE LARGE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, May 16.—According to a recent statement, the First National Bank of Macon, Ga., owed depositors $633,000. Its capital was $200,000. Robert H. Plant, president of the First National Bank, is also the head of the firm of I. C. Plant Sons, which had a capital of $20,000.

A warm bath with Ivory Soap just before bedtime insures that perfect and refreshing night's rest which is so necessary for the health of infants and growing children. The Ivory is a pure soap, made of vegetable oils and is soothing to the most delicate skin. It floats.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—MONDAY, MAY 16.

Steamer Lakme, Capt. Christensen, from Eureka, via Redondo.

Steamer Chehalis, Capt. Martin, from Willapa Harbor.

Schooner Mary E. Russ, Capt. Evensen, 13 days from Marshfield.

SAILED—MONDAY, MAY 16.

Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Carlson, for San Francisco (in tow of tug Sea Rover.)

Barkentine Charles F. Crocker, Capt. Dewars, for Everett, in ballast.

Schooner Balboa, Capt. Burmeister, for Port Blakeley, in ballast.

Schooner Mabel Gale, Capt. Matsen, for Portland, in ballast.

Schooner Lucy, Capt. Pearson, for Umpqua, in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

MONDAY, MAY 16.

Steamer Chehalis, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Lakme, K. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Iaqua, S. P. L. wharf.
Steamer Noyo, Southern Pacific wharf.
British ship Wray Castle, anchored Outer Harbor.
British bark Hawthornbank, S. P. L. A. & S. L. wharf.
Tug Liberty, Southern Pacific wharf.
Barkentine Gardiner City, Crescent wharf.
Schooner Newsby, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner James Ralph, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Robert Searles, anchored Outer Harbor.
Schooner Columbia, Stimson M. & L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Charles E. Falk, Gaskill L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Maid of Orleans, So. Pacific wharf.
Schooner Fred E. Sanders, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Beulah, Kercklhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Schooner Alvena, S. P. L. A. and S. L. wharf.
Schooner Andy Mahoney, Inman-Poulsen Co. wharf.
Schooner Mary E. Russ, Southern Pacific wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Alcazar, from Greenwood, via San Francisco.
Steamer Marshfield, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Bark Hesper, from Portland.
Barkentine Katie Flickinger, from Aberdeen.
Schooner William Renton, from Bellingham.
Schooner Alice McDonald, from Portland.
Schooner Charles R. Wilson, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Winslow, from Everett.
Schooner Bertha Dohlbeer, from Eureka.
Schooner Salem, from Fort Gamble.
Schooner Taurus, from Everett.
Schooner Shasta, from Bellingham.
Schooner Mary Dolge, from Eureka.
Schooner Caroline, from Umpqua.
Schooner Louise, from Umpqua.
Schooner Sadie, from Umpqua.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

German ship Asia, from Antwerp, out 106 days.
German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, out 51 days.

TO LEAVE—TUESDAY, MAY 17.

Steamer Iaqua, Capt. Jorgensen, for San Francisco.

WEDNESDAY, May 18—Steamer Lakme, Capt. Christensen, for Eureka, via San Francisco.

THURSDAY, May 19—Steamer Chehalis, Capt. Martin, for Willapa Harbor.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer South Bay, Eureka.
Steamer San Gabriel, Eureka.
Steamer Aberdeen, Astoria.
Steamer Melville Dollar, Tillamook.
Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Santa Barbara, Olympia.
Steamer Santa Cruz, San Francisco.
Steamer South Coast, Casbas.
Barkentine Retriever, Port Hadlock.
Barkentine John Smith, Astoria.
Barkentine Robert Sudden, Aberdeen.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner Salvator, Everett.
Schooner Myrtle Minor, Eureka.
Schooner William Nottingham, Port Townsend.
Schooner J. H. Coleman, Anacortes.
Schooner Marion, Aberdeen.
Schooner Mauwema, Port Townsend.
Schooner S. T. Alexander, Tacoma.
Schooner Olga, Eureka.
Schooner Irene, Astoria.
Schooner King Cyrus, Bellingham.
Schooner Ludlow, Port Hadlock.
Schooner Lottie Carson, Eureka.
Schooner Manila, Astoria.
Schooner Watson A. West, Aberdeen.
Schooner Wawona, South Bend.
Schooner Fearless, Bellingham.
Schooner Sequel, Port Townsend.
Schooner Espada, Winslow.
Schooner Philippine, Tacoma.
Schooner A. F. Coats, Astoria.
Schooner Oceanic Vance, Port Townsend.
Schooner Ethel Zane, Everett.
Schooner Bangor, Port Gamble.
Schooner Henry Wilson, Aberdeen.
Schooner Ruby, Dundee.
Schooner H. B. Bendixen, Seattle.
Schooner Albert Meyer, Ballard.
Schooner O. M. Kellogg, Eureka.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—MONDAY, MAY 16.

Launch J. C. Elliott, from Long Beach, with pleasure party.
Launch Fashion, from Long Beach, with passengers.
Launch Victoria, Capt. Falconi, from Catalina, with 700 pounds barracuda.
Launch Columbia, Capt. Mascola, from Newport, with 900 pounds halibut.

SAILED.

Launch J. C. Elliott, for Long Beach.
Launch Fashion, for Long Beach.
Twelve sailboats for fishing banks, and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Tuesday,	May 17	11:19 a.m.	4:22 a.m.
Wednesday,	" 18	12:14 p.m.	5:13 a.m.
Thursday,	" 19	1:04 p.m.	6:06 a.m.
Friday,	" 20	1:55 p.m.	6:59 a.m.
Saturday,	" 21	2:50 p.m.	7:56 a.m.
Sunday,	" 22	3:50 p.m.	8:53 a.m.
Monday,	" 23	4:50 p.m.	9:47 a.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Cloudy at 5 p.m.; wind south-west, velocity 10 miles.

The schooner Andy Mahoney has arrived from Portland with 375,000 feet of lumber consigned to Inman-Poulsen Lumber Company of Los Angeles.

The steamer Lakme, after discharging part of her lumber cargo at Redondo, arrived here with the remainder.

The schooner Mary E. Russ has arrived from Marshfield with 350,000 feet of lumber consigned to the Whiting Wrecking Company of Los Angeles.

The barkentine Charles F. Crocker and the schooner Balboa finished discharging lumber cargoes and sailed in ballast to reload, the former for Everett and the latter for Port Blakeley.

Tug Sea Rover cleared with the disabled steamer Alcatraz in tow for San Francisco.

At San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16—Arrived: Steamer State of California, from San Diego; steamer Whitesboro, Fort Los Angeles; steamer Shasta San Pedro.

Didn't Begin so Young.

During his address before the Congregational Association of New Jersey, in the Central Congregational Church, the Rev. Dr. H. A. Stinson of New York told a story of a negro who narrated his experience to a number of people gathered on a street corner in St. Louis.

"I had always been a good young man," said the converted negro, "but I fell. But I am glad to be able to say right here that I was never as bad as that fellow in the Bible. I mean Job, who cussed the day he was born. Believe me, my friends, I didn't cuss until I was one year old."—(Philadelphia Press.

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MINES AND MINING.

BILLY MACK AND HIS MINE.

Two Purchasers Now Claim the Famous Bonanza.

Los Angeles Firm to Bring Suit for Possession.

New York Capitalist Has Paid Big Sum for it.

Who bought Billy Mack's mine?

Years of investigation and innumerable theories propounded by millions of people failed to unravel the mystery connected with a certain striking incident in the career of a William Patterson.

The courts of the Territory of Arizona and perhaps the highest court of the land, will be asked to decide the question of the real purchaser of the famous Billy Mack gold mine down near Empire Flats in Arizona, "where the Silvery Colorado wends its way."

In the meantime all of Arizona and a goodly portion of Southern California will worry over the innocent-looking question:

"Who bought Billy Mack's mine?"

The age of Ann is liable to be forgotten in the struggle to solve the problem connected with the sale of this gold mine.

STATUS OF THE CASE.

Only a little over one month ago Randall and Forden, mining men of No. 715 South Spring street, announced that they had purchased the famous Arizona bonanza for a consideration of $81,000. They had secured an option on the mine at this figure, and sent a trusted emissary to Empire Flats with a check for $5000 to bind the bargain.

When the agent reached the presence of the august owner of the property, the check was spurned.

"What do I want with that piece of paper?" said William Mack, dictator of the region lying contiguous to the Colorado River from Yuma to the Needles.

"Why, it's a first payment on the purchase price of $51,000 for your property," returned the agent, again presenting the "piece of paper."

"Not for me," couth William, "for I have just sold the mine to Benjamin Blanchard of New York, and the price was $126,000.

Sorrowfully the agent departed from the land of cacti, rattlesnakes and Gila monsters and returned to Los Angeles.

Billy Mack had signed an agreement with the Los Angeles men to sell his property at a certain figure, but it was stipulated that payments should be made at certain times, and he claimed that the option had expired before the first payment was tendered.

While this option was pending, Benjamin Blanchard, the well-known New York mining man, who is reputed to be the heaviest stockholder in the famous Iron King mine, came along and offered Mack $51,000 in cash, and the proceeds from the sale of all ore taken out during the development of the property. It was figured that this would amount to $75,000 in round numbers, making a total of $126,000.

Blanchard got the property and to clinch his title possession was taken, and active work was immediately begun.

SCENE OF ACTIVITY.

When other agents from Randall and Forden floated down the Colorado River to see Mack in an effort to have him reconsider his decision, they found a large force of Blanchard's men at work on the ground, with houses, blacksmith shops and other necessary mining buildings going up like mushrooms.

So anxious was Blanchard to go after the hidden wealth in the mine, that machinery and supplies were ordered rushed to Mellen, where the Santa Fé road crosses the Colorado River, and barges were engaged to transport these supplies to the camp sixty miles below. But the barges were loaded too heavily and immediately after leaving Mellen they were capsized and thousands of dollars worth of machinery and supplies were lost.

Still work was pushed, and it has now been announced that the mine is to be equipped with a mill of its own and a large output is expected.

Randall and Forden claim that they purchased the mine, and acted in good faith throughout. They have placed their case in the hands of a prominent Yuma attorney, and are preparing for a long and bitter contest for the ownership of the property.

HISTORY OF THE MINE.

Every mining man in Southwestern Arizona and Southern California knows something of the Billy Mack mine. William Mack, the locator, has been known as a distinct Arizona character for thirty-five years, and the stories that have floated up from the desert about his mine, and its fabulous riches have been told and retold in many western papers.

Over a third of a century ago Mack settled near the Colorado River and took up a ranch. The outcropping of a ledge on his property attracted his attention, and the work of prospecting it was begun in a primitive way. Year in and year out, Mack devoted his spare time to sinking a shaft, until he finally succeeded in reaching a depth of 300 feet, where a fine body of ore was opened. The shaft was sunk by Mack unaided, and it was the delight of his life to go down in his mine and admire the treasure acquired through the exercise of unlimited perseverance and patience.

Whenever the owners needed a little money, a few tons of the rock would be hoisted to the surface, and shipped down the Colorado River to the Gulf of California, where it was transferred to schooners and sent to San Francisco.

This method of transportation was expensive, but the ore was rich, and Mack did not feel called upon to ship very much, as his wants were simple.

Many mining men journeyed to the Mack mine and negotiated for its purchase, but Mack steadfastly refused to sell. It was like a plaything with the Arizona rancheman, and he hated the very idea of selling.

People called Mack eccentric, and finally stories of the mine and its owner were published, wherein the latter was referred to as an eccentric individual. Then Billy Mack got mad all over and threatened to sue the papers for libel.

As years passed on Mack was finally induced to consider a sale of his bonanza, and after many "dickerings" the deals with Randall and Forden and Benjamin Blanchard resulted.

The Los Angeles men are planning to pay their money and get possession and Blanchard is digging and delving to get out the ore as fast as possible, while using his thinking cap about the best method to be pursued in the coming legal fight.

But Billy Mack—well, he is sitting under the shade of a cactus bush watching the festive Gilas in their gambols over the hot sands, and just "smilin' like."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, May 16, 1904.

Richard L Jennings and Mary C Jennings to A Lewison, lot 29, block C, Elliott's Ninth-street tract, $1300.

F Walter Seager and Harriette W Seager to Bank of Santa Monica, lots 24 and 25, South Santa Monica, $1200.

T W Benson and Julia Florence Benson to Blanche Howard and Arthur D Howard, part lot 67, Watts subdivision, $10.

R Verch and Marie Verch to Edward Nittinger, lot 4, block 58, Rosecrans, $50.

Mary L Cronkhite to James F McLeland, part of lot 2, estate of Mary Newman, $1000.

Mary E Burrows and T M Burrows to Juan Oliver and Maria Oliver, lots 7, 9 and 11, block 28, Fields Occidental Heights tract, $450.

T M C A (of Pasadena,) to and from B O Kendall, recites that first party has purchased lot 12 of lot C, Legges Central tract. That second party is owner of lot 11, same tract. Agreement as to party wall between said lots.

Carroll J Daly to Mary M Higgins, part lot 4, Vawter's Hill-street tract, $20.

Walter A Beiger and Lydia M Beiger to Albert L Kerns, agreement to convey in El Monte township commencing at point on west line of public road running northerly and southerly between property of F W Gilson and property of Ana Ellis, 200 feet from northerly line of right of way of Southern Pacific Railroad Company, etc, $1300.

R P Smith and Mary C Smith to Edward F Filer, part Farm lot 77, Alamitos tract, $1575.

Mandal H Ketcham to H F Metcalf, part lot 4, block A, Chuickshank's subdivision, San Pasqual tract, $1350.

Bridget Delaney and Carrie J Reynolds to George F Thompson, lots 4 to 16, Thompson Bros subdivision, $1.

Santa Monica Land and Water Company to Andrew D Winterfield and Elizabeth J Winterfield, lot 7, block 61, Artesian tract, $150.

Peter Haack and Matilda Haack to Title Insurance and Trust Company, blocks 1 to 8, La Paloma tract, $10.

James W Smith and Mary A Smith to Sara A McCready, lot 123, West End Terrace, $10.

Union Trust and Realty Company to John B Miller, reconveyance of lot 3, Locke Haven San Gabriel Orange Growers' Association.

Rudolph P Vogel and Irma Vogel to Paul Winton, lots 18 and 19, Garbutt tract, $10.

Frank Tilden and Grace R Tilden to C A Bostaph and Mary E Bostaph, agreement to convey part of lots 5 and 6, Grider & Dow's subdivision of Briswalter tract, $2400.

Charles A Tobbetts and Mary H Tebbetts to Jennie Tulles, lot 19, block 115, Long Beach, $10.

Jennie Tulles to Henry Sherer, lot 19, block 115, Long Beach, $2350.

Henry West Hughes and Cora J Hughes to Fred M Wilcox, part blocks 25, 27, 13 and all blocks 14 and 24, Manhattan Rancho, $10.

Mrs S S Holly to Lucie A Parker, part lot 14, block P, Garvanza addition No 1, $10.

Phillis L Wilson to Dora Haynes, part lot 7, block 7, Ord's Survey, $10.

R W Cannon and Gertrude Cannon to Emma O Macdonell, portion of lot 3, block 2, Hancock's Survey, beginning in west line of Main street, 50 feet north from east corner lot 1, Maskell tract, $10.

John D McCrillis and Carrie McCrillis to Alice I Fowler, lot 5, block V, West Los Angeles, $10.

Rosa L Whitmore to Isabelle R Bent, part lot 11, Brockway subdivision, Southern Pacific tract, $10.

William H Murphy and Laura H Murphy to Cyrenius A Newcomb, lots 1 and 2, Samuel Stratton's subdivision, Pasadena, $1.

Same to same, lot 7, Samuel Stratton's subdivision, Pasadena, $1.

Same to same, lot 8, Samuel Stratton's subdivision, Pasadena, $1.

Ella Schmidt to Mrs Annie Hammond, lot 202, Ford tract, $10.

Mrs Kate McDaneil to Ferdinand R Wismer, lot 18, block 19, Charles Victor Hall tract, $10.

Robert Teach and Clara Teach to Mrs Rose Finks, lot 4, block C, Finner tract, $200.

Adda R Scott to Josephine Buchanan Brunswick, lot 26, block B, subdivision of Martin tract, $2500.

Emil M Finley and C H Finley to Albert B Forman, lots 13 to 24, Finley tract, $10.

Albert B Forman to A C Billicke, lots 13 to 24, Finley tract, $10.

Mrs Fannie D Smith and C F Smith to Levi McDonnell, lot 7, block 3, Hamilton tract, $10.

Frank M Lee and Kittie Lee to Hattie A Campbell, part lot 12, block 2, Sentous tract, $1200.

James R Hardman to T A Ashbridge, lot 7, Blanchard's resubdivision of block 5, Woolen Mill tract, $1250.

Dolgeville Land Company and San Gabriel Wine Company to Everett R Thompson, lot 27, block 3, Dolgeville, $10.

John Joseph West and Clara Minnie West to John F Yonkum, lot 3, block C, Santa Fe tract, $200.

Santa Monica Commercial Company to John Joseph West and Clara Minnie West, lot 2, block C, Santa Fe tract, $400.

Edward T Burgin and Grace F Burgin to D J Finnigan, agreement to convey lot 5, Gordon & Hubbard's South Park tract, Los Angeles, $1500.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Daniel A Wagner, lots 4 and 11, block 13, South Woodlawn, $10.

Adelaide Dunt to Ferdinand Stock, lot 14, block 22, Elysian Heights, $250.

Union Trust and Realty Company to August Lindeken, reconveyance of trust property.

Adolf Rust and Emilie Rust to J H Clark, lot 10, block G, Grider & Hamilton's subdivision of Vernon Park tract.

Charles L Nichols, M A Nichols, William D Clark and Sarah E Clark to Calvin Wilcox, lots 5 and 6, block 14, Charles Victor Hall tract, $10.

Calvin A Wilcox and Ellen M Wilcox to Charles L Nichols and William D Clark, lot 12, block 1, Riverside Addition tract.

M DeGarmo to W I DeGarmo, lot 14, block 3, Strong & Dickinson's Sixteenth and Washington-street tract, $200.

Clarence M Burgard and Wyer P Berry to George S Penrose, lot 3, block F, City Boundary tract, $100.

W H Crocker and Mercy J Powers (devisees of Ellen I Crocker, deceased) to State Bank of San Pedro, east lot 20, Harbor View subdivision of block C, San Pedro, $10.

Henry A Crocker to Mercy J Powers and William H Crocker, part lot 25, block 62, Harbor View tract, $775.

Edith D Newell and D L Newell to J A Pierpont's, Jr, lot 1, block 8, Highland tract addition No 1, $10.

R W Poindexter and Madeleine R Poindexter to Edith D Newell, lot 1, block 8, Highland tract addition No 1, $10.

Mattie W Hughes to William A Vawter, lots 467 and 468, San Pedro, $10.

E M Tenney and W E Tenney to Irving S Metzler, lot 24, Peck's subdivision of block 43, San Pedro, and lot 18, De Fries tract, Pasadena, $15.

Irving S Metzler to Eugene Rischard, lot 16, De Fries tract, $10.

James R Martin and Pauline E Martin to Allen W Ellington, part lot 19 and 21, Patterson tract, $10.

Wilmington Land Company to Augusta Cardoza, lot 11, block 2, Seventh-street tract.

Same to W E Tanlow, lots 13 and 14, block 2, Seventh-street tract, $10.

Hannah M O'Hanlon and Thomas O'Hanlon to George M Ramsey, lot 34, block 17, Angeleno Heights, $500.

Rhete to W E Young and George Greitman, certificate of redemption part section 31, 1 N 9.

W E Lester and Alice Lester to Henry C Hollweded, lots W and X, block 139, Santa Monica, $650.

Miss Lizzie McCoy to Julia A Gilfoil, lot 8, block 32, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $1000.

C B Van Every and Hannah Van Every to J M Butler, portion of allotment of E W Squires, described in final decree in action of Gibson, et al, vs Luga, et al, $10.

Mrs Ollie E Holbrook and Morrill Holbrook to Miss Laura Graham, lots 41 and 44, block 10, Rivera, $300.

Miss Laura Graham to Samuel W Burke, lot 44, block 10, Rivera, $75.

Henrietta Green and Mary Green to Charles Harvey, part lot 6, A O Porter's subdivision, S G O G Assn, $100.

J H Wadsworth and Thirza Wadsworth to John W Carson, part lot 10, block 6, Chaves tract, East Los Angeles, $900.

O A Vickrey and Lucile J Vickrey to Minnie Cray Taylor, part lots 1 to 4, block 8, Wolfskill Orchard tract, $10.

Rebecca A Thomas to Frank R Thomas, lot 1, block 12, Charles Victor Hall tract, $15.

Theodore Nicolai and Hannah Nicolai to Carl F Schader and Theodore A Johnson, agreement to convey part lots 10 and 14, and all lots 11, 12 and 13, block 4, Orchard tract, $5500.

E V Baker to B A Baxter, agreement to convey lots 1 and 15, block 43, Huntington Park, $325.

Alexander S Ewart and Nettie C Ewart to Louisa C Wilcox, part lots 17 to 22, block 70, Long Beach, $1125.

Alamitos Land Company to M H Jorden, lots 7 and 8, block D, Bay View Heights, $10.

George Edwin to W W McDonald, lot 5, Edwin tract, $10.

Bessie B Arnold and Nancy C Arnold to C H Fredway, lot 11, block L, V H Swarting's subdivision, Alamitos Beach, $10.

Nellie Carroll and Robert Carroll to E C Cox, part block 204, Pomona tract, $10.

G W Hepner and C E Hepner to W A Layman, lot 6, block 15, Covina, $1225.

Charles Tyler, Bessie Tyler, Walt Tyler, Guy Tyler, Elsie Tyler, Achsah English, Ely Tyler, and Achsah Tyler to Sugars W Blythe, part of Downey, beginning in west side Crawford street, 165 feet north of north line of Fourth street, $1.

Laura Merchant, J H Reed, Louise N Reed, Varnum V Jerome, Ada B Jerome, Terrell R Crawford and Amy T Crawford to same, same, $1.

Ellen A Channell to Lucile E Forden and Charles T Forden, lot 7, block 12, Garvanza, $10.

Los Angeles-Pacific Boulevard and Development Company to Peter Ferguson, part lot 7, block 1, Hollywood Ocean View tract, $10.

W A Wyble and Anna Wyble to Murray M Hall, lot 3, Grider & Hamilton's Bell tract, $1400.

Jacob Schneider and Mary Schneider to Mason Willis, lots 66 and 67, Lyman's subdivision Lick tract, $500.

S D Moore and Mary E Moore to Charles Gammow, lot 7, block R, Ela Hills tract, $10.

W C Patterson and Virginia M Patterson to Mamie Schilling, lot 1, block 2, Alta Vista tract, No 2, $10.

Nancy M Cochran to George H Ball and Mary E Ball, lot 41, Hiscock & Smith's second addition, $10.

Estate of Adelheid Venker, deceased, order confirming sale to Julia E Russell, lot 10, block A, West Los Angeles.

Kaspare Cohn and Hulda Cohn to Azusa Foothill Citrus Company, portions of lots marked 78x82, subdivision No 2 of lands of Azusa Land and Water Company, $10.

George Myers and Emma Myers to George D Cadwalader, undivided one-half interest in 75 feet off south side tract conveyed to Larkin Snodgrass by Isabella Thornton by deed 124-326, $1.

A J Wilkins to Emma L Malcolm, lots 23 and 24, block A, Coughran & Hughes subdivision, American Colony tract, $10.

Brewster C Kenyon, Mary D Greble and Edwin Greble to Edward Sharkey, lots 23 and 24, block B, Kenyon's subdivision, Alamitos Beach, $10.

Hays B Miller and Alice O Miller to Charles W Gillilan and Mary E Gillilan, lot 14, block 4, Crabbs subdivision, Pomona, $90.

John Ziegler and Mary J Ziegler to Charles W Gillilan and May E Gillilan, lot 13, block 4, Crabbs subdivision, Pomona, $200.

Main-street Savings Bank to E D Seward, part lot 4, block 33, San Pedro, $250.

E D Seward and M Agnes Seward to George H Peck, part lot 4, block 33, San Pedro, $10.

Mrs I B Bard to R M Bard, part section 1, 1 S 15 E.

United States to Edward W Pugh, patent part sections 27 and 34, 4 N 8.

Alice Oakes to T N Newell, lot 2, block 3, Harvey tract, $10.

Mary H Banning, Banning Company, Mary H Norris, formerly Banning, and Witt W Norris to Lucy T Banning, lot 7, block 13, R J, Wilmington, $10.

Mary H Banning, Lucy T Banning and Banning Company to Mary H Norris, lot 3, block 13, Range 7, Wilmington, $10.

Wesley Clark, E P Bryan, Sarah J Clark and Georgia Bryan to Nellie Keteh, lot 48, Clark & Bryan's Westmoreland tract, $10.

Deville R Beers and Dollie Beers to W H Reynolds, 33-100,000 of waters of Verduzco Canyon apportioned to part lot 10, Hunter's subdivision; 16-100,000 of waters of Verduzco Canyon apportioned to part lot 7, said Hunter's subdivision; and 5-100,000 of waters of Verduzco Canyon apportioned to part lot 7, said Hunter's subdivision, $450.

United States of America to Rosece W Hutchings, patent part section 10, 3 N 14.

Estate of Andrew J W Keating, deceased, order confirming sale to W H Perry, lot D, block 172, Santa Monica; and to J C Barrett lots E and F, block 175, Santa Monica.

Willoughby Rodman, trustee of estate of W P Gardiner, deceased, to Martha W Purcell, lots 5 to 12, block 5, Purcell subdivision of Las Tunas tract, and part section 11, 1 S 12, $10.

John Brown to Clara B Shatto, lots 17 and 18, block 28, West End University addition, $1400.

Josie May Walton, by Josie May Clay, and J W Walton to State Bank of San Pedro, lot 1, Clay's subdivision of block 12, Rudecinda tract, $10.

Alamitos Land Company to Jacob P Thompson, part lot 98, Alamitos tract, $10.

Mrs Mattie E Robertson to Mrs Minnie J Thompson, lots 10, 20 and 21, Wilson's & Lyman's resubdivision Alamitos tract, $10.

Maria A Wilcox to Fannie W Drake, undivided one-fifth interest in lots 6 and 7, Consuelo subdivision, gift.

Laura Young and L B Young to Thomas Thompson, lot 105, Workman & Hollenbeck tract, $1.

Charles M Stimson to Lydia W Herrmann, lot 23, block 2, Daw & Niles subdivision, $200.

Elizabeth Lothrop to Hugh Glassell and Andrew Glassell, executors of estate of Andrew Glassell, deceased, ots 15 and 16, block 9, Montezuma tract, $30.

San Gabriel Cemetery Association to Chester H Andrews, part lot 13, block F, San Gabriel Cemetery, $25.

San Gabriel Cemetery Association to Walter S Andrews, part lot 13, block F, San Gabriel Cemetery, $25.

Fannie E Stanford to Martha E Ehey, lot 3, block 23, Highland Park addition, $150.

Charles J Schaeffer and Mary E Schaeffer to Minnie Stokes, lot 14, Strong & Dickinson's Jefferson-street tract, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Helen E Best, reconveyance of trust property.

Eunice M Johnson to F P Finegan, lot 16, Wiesendanger City tract, $10.

Lillie Bell Barnes and F A Barnes to Mattie L Shorb, north 40 feet of Shorp property; lots A, B and C, being subdivision of portion of block P, Mott tract, $10.

Mary E Lavayea, by H E Lavayea, part lot 3, block 9, Volden Bay tract, $40.

Hugh Glassell and Andrew Glassell, as executors of estate of Andrew Glassell, deceased, George H Smith, George S Patton and Ruth W Patton, in county of Los Angeles, lot 6, D C Stephens tract.

Elwood B Haines and Jennie Haines to William Budden, part lot 52, Watts subdivision, $2500.

Mrs C B Wise to McCarthy Company, lots 23 and 24, block A, City Boundary tract, $10.

P W Dooner and C T Dooner to Elizabeth S Biles, lot 7, block F, Mott tract, $300.

Mrs Amy M Potter to Mrs Catharine E Hughes, part lot 1, block 22, Terminus Homestead tract, East Los Angeles, $600.

Seaside Water Company and Broadway Bank and Trust Company, trustee, to Mary D Zucker, part lot 15, block 4, Seaside Park, $10.

Total, $40,443.

MORTGAGES.

Juan Oliver and Maria Oliver to Mary E Burrows, lots 7, 9 and 11, block 28, Fields Occidental Heights tract, installments, 10 per cent, $50, four notes of $100 each, $450.

Ulysses S Daniel to Samuel L Richardson, lot 4, block 8, Park tract, 3 years, 9 per cent, $1500.

J M Weygand and Annie C Weygand to Ada L Merrill, lot 11, Andrews & Linville's addition to Pasadena, 2 years, 9 per cent, $300.

Mrs Ethel B Dodge to J M Elliott and H T Lee, trustees, for Jessie P Church, lot 6, block 8, of part Highland tract addition No 1, 1 year, 10 per cent, $400.

Philip L Wilson to Dora Haynes, part block 10, Ord's Survey, 3 years, 2 per cent, $25,000.

Emma C Macdonell and A W Macdonell to R W Cannon, part lot 2, block 2, Hancock's Survey, 1 year, 11 per cent, $6333.

T E Brett and Elizabeth Brett to Theodore L Beers, lot 45, land of San Gabriel Improvement Company, 3 years, 10 per cent, $500.

Maggie Henry to Co-operative Savings Bank, lot 19, block C, Soto-street tract, 3 years, 9 per cent, $1400.

David N Parker to Pasadena Savings, Trust and Safe Deposit, Company, lot 23, Defries tract, 2 years, 9 per cent, $1000.

Isabelle R Bent and John G Bent to William H Vedder, part lot 11, Brockway subdivision, San Pasqual tract, 3 years, 9 per cent, $1500.

Rosa L Whitmore to same, part lot 11, same subdivision, 1 year, 10 per cent, $500.

Everett R Thompson to Charlotte Ellis, lot 27, block 3, Dolgeville, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1200.

Mary L Burns and William N Burns to Louisa Williamson, part lot 8, block 4, Division No 1, Raymond Improvement Company's tract, 3 years, 9 per cent, $1500.

Louis Ebinger and Miss Ebinger to Security Savings Bank, lot 32, Maple-avenue tract, 1 year, 10 per cent, $2000.

Elizabeth Hauck and Karl Friedrich Hauck to Martha Helz, part lot 21, Grosser tract, 1 and 2 years, 10 per cent, two notes of $200 each, $400.

Elizabeth S Biles and Albert Biles to F J Burge, lot 7, block F, Mott tract, 4 years, 10 per cent, $400.

Daniel A Wagner to Title Guarantee and Trust Company, lots 4 and 11, block 13, South Woodlawn, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years, 8 per cent, five notes of $1000 each, $5000.

James W Adams to George H Williams, lot 20, block 15, Brooklyn tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $950.

R W Ervin and Stella F Ervin to Fred E Greismer, lot 130, Boettcher tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $400.

Carl F Schader and Theodore A Johnson to Ocean Park Bank, part lot 10 and lots 11 to 13, part lot 14, block 4, Orchard tract, 1 year, 10 per cent, $5000.

Richard M Ball and Alice Ball to E B Thorne, lots 5 and 6, Prospect tract, 6 months, 2 per cent per month, $1200.

Bertha Jacobs (formerly Bertha Brashear) and Jess Jacobs to A L Holcombe, lot 1, block 2, Compton, 1 year, 10 per cent, $500.

Charles Gummow and Elva A Gummow to Mrs C L Sterling, lot 7, block R, Ela Hills tract, installments, 10 per cent, $130.

Delphine Miller to Miller J Carlson, lot 13, Frank C Platt Company's first tract, 3 years, 7 per cent, $400.

J M Butler and Annie E Butler to C B Van Every, that portion of allotment of E W Squires, described in decree in action Gibson et al vs Lugo et al, 5 years, 9 per cent, $500.

S M Haifley and Nina J Haifley to Glendora Bank, part section 29, 1 N 9, 2 years, 10 per cent, $250.

Perry C Bashore and Katie Bashore to Mrs Hannah Overbolzer, part lots 2 and 4, block 21, Phillips tract, 3 years, 8 per cent, $1200.

T N Newell and Laura I Newell to Alice Oakes, lot 2, block 3, Harvey tract, 3 months, 6 months, installments, 9 per cent, $500, $500, $2700, $4000.

Martha W Purcell and Geoffrey M Purcell to Willoughby Rodman, trustee of estate of W P Gardiner, lots 5 to 12, block 5, Purcell subdivision of Las Tunas tract, 3 years, 9 per cent, $2000.

Frank Freichel and Lisette Freichel to A K Jensen and Mary A Jensen and Amanda E Ells and Hilda A Ells, lot 11, Peck's subdivision of block 52, San Pedro, 1 year, 6 per cent, $1000.

William A Sanford and Hattie J Sanford to R R Tanner, lot 16, block 5, Greenwell tract, 90 days, 12 per cent, $150.

C P Carpenter to James C Horgan, lots C and D, block 22, addition No 1 to Monrovia tract, 2 years, 9 per cent, $1400.

F S Lanning and Helen F Lanning to William F Boshyshell, portion of lots 11 and 12, block 3, East San Pedro, 90 days, 6 months, 1 year, 11 per cent, $100, $100, $300, $600.

Adolph G Horn and Elisabeth Horn to Home Savings Bank of Los Angeles, part lot 4, block I, Dolgeville, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1200.

Catharine E Hughes to Equitable Savings Bank, part lot 1, block 22, Terminus Homestead tract, East Los Angeles, 2 years, 11 per cent, $1000.

Frank D H Oldershaw and Margarita Oldershaw to Jeff A. Cullen, lots 9 and 10, block C, Los Angeles Improvement Company's subdivision, 1 year, 10 per cent, $850.

Mate A Farnsworth and John A Farnsworth to Southern Salvage Savings Bank, lots 37, 38 and 4, block 2, Wright's subdivision of Sisters of Charity tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $2500.

Total, $73,544.

The Sinful Brother.

It was at a certain church meeting, and the good bishop was calling for reports. He had a rather stern, sharp manner which sometimes jarred a little on the nerves of the more timid. By and by he came to Brother B., a lay delegate.

"Brother B., what is the spiritual condition of your church?" demanded the bishop, briskly.

"I consider it good," said the brother.

"What makes you think it is good?" went on the bishop.

"Well, the people are united. That's what makes me think so."

"What do you call religion? Do they have family prayer?"

"Some of them do and some do not."

"Do you mean to say a man can be a Christian and not hold family prayer?"

"Yes, sir; I think so."

"Do you hold family prayer?"

"Yes, sir," returned the brother quietly.

"And yet you think a man may be a Christian and not hold family prayer?"

"I have a brother who is a better man than I am who does not hold family prayer."

"What makes you think he is a better man than you are."

"Everybody says so, and I know it is."

"Why does not your brother, if he is such a good man, hold family prayer?"

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